The Daily Telegraph.

No. 10,396.] LONDON, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1888. [ONE PENNY.

NOTICE.—The CHARGE for ADVERTISEMENTS of BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, and DEATHS is FIVE SHILLINGS for THREE LINES and ONE SHILLING per LINE AFTERWARDS. Payments for these announcements [illegible]

BIRTHS.

[illegible]—On the [illegible] inst., at Fare place, Eltham, the wife of [illegible]

[illegible] at Lorne House, Bangor, the wife of [illegible]

[illegible] at Fitzjohn's-mansions, Hampstead. [illegible]

[illegible] at Hursley, near Winchester. [illegible]

[illegible] at Nottingham, the wife of W. H. [illegible]

[illegible] at Somersfield, Sutton, Surrey, the [illegible]

[illegible] at Bowyer-terrace, Clapham-road, the [illegible]

[illegible] at York mansions, South Kensington. [illegible]

[illegible] at Balhoughty, Perth, the wife of [illegible]

[illegible] at Carleton-road, Tufnell Park, [illegible]

[illegible] at Abbotts-terrace, Kensington, [illegible]

[illegible] at the Vicarage, Shifnal, the wife [illegible]

[illegible] at Twyford, near Winchester, the [illegible]

MARRIAGES.

[illegible]—KERSHAW.—On the [illegible] inst., at the St. Marylebone [illegible]

[illegible]—On the 11th inst., at St. Stephen's, South [illegible]

[illegible]—On the [illegible] inst., at St. Paul's, [illegible]

[illegible]—On the 12th inst., at St. James's [illegible]

[illegible] DICKINSON.—On the 11th inst., at St. Peter's, [illegible]

[illegible]—Aug. 22, 1888, at St. Matthew's Church, [illegible]

DAY—BLAXLAND.—On the 11th inst., at St. John's Church, [illegible]

HALL—BERRY.—On the 11th inst., at Holy Trinity, Wimbledon, [illegible]

HAYWARD—HUMPHRIES.—On the 11th inst., at Holy Trinity [illegible]

HIGGINSON—SMITH.—On the 8th inst., by licence, Adolphus [illegible]

KEENE—FLUNT.—On the 8th inst., at St. Andrew's, Stockwell, [illegible]

MANSFIELD—HIGSON.—On the 11th inst., at Wavertree [illegible]

MATTHEWS—HALL.—On Sept. 12, at All Saints' Church, Long- [illegible]

[illegible]—KNIGHT.—On the 12th inst., at St. James's, Clap- [illegible]

PYM—FAGGE.—On the 12th inst., at St. Leonard's Church, [illegible]

ROSSITER—KING.—On Sept. 8, at the parish church, Brighton, [illegible]

SMITH—MACOWAN.—On Sept. 12, at Walworth-road Baptist [illegible]

DEATHS.

AIKIN.—On Sept. 12, at Ansley Old Hall, near Tamworth, [illegible]

BOUSQUET.—On the 11th inst., [illegible]

BURLEIGH.—On the 12th inst., at Abbey-road, N.W., Joseph [illegible]

[illegible]—On the 11th inst., at Somerleigh, Dorchester, Clara [illegible]

EVANS.—On the 12th inst., at Salcop, aged 55, Joseph Henry [illegible]

FAWCETT.—On the 12th inst., at Tolton, Hants, Walter Musgrove, [illegible]

FRYETT.—On the 12th inst., at Canonbury Lodge, Balham. [illegible]

HARVEY.—On the 11th inst., at Ordnance-terrace, Shooter's- [illegible]

HOLMES.—On the 12th inst., at Granville-road, Walthamstow, [illegible]

[illegible]—On the 12th inst., at Brighton, Louisa Frances Hum- [illegible]

LE BRETON.—On July 8, at Flores, Buenos Ayres, Clement Le [illegible]

LUNEY.—On the 11th inst., at Orpheus, Watringbury, Ann, widow [illegible]

[illegible]—On the 12th inst., at The Rookery, Bishopdale, Reigate, [illegible]

[illegible]—On the 11th inst., at Lancaster Park, Richmond, Mrs. [illegible]

[illegible]—On Sept. 11, at [illegible], Thomas Cliffe, [illegible]

PLAYTON.—On the 12th inst., at The Ivy House, The Forest, [illegible]

[illegible]

SHAW.—On Sept. 13, at Longcroft, Tring, Charles Balnger Shaw, [illegible]

TEALE.—On the 11th inst., at Hye House, Hoddesdon, Herts, [illegible]

WARD.—On the 7th inst., Alfred Rudyard Ward, Esq., Assistant- [illegible]

[illegible]—On the 10th inst., at Streatham common, Maria [illegible]

WELCH.—On Sept. 11, at 15, Peckham-grove, Peckham, Joseph [illegible]

WHITE.—On the 12th inst., at Worthing, Isabella White, of [illegible]

[illegible]—On the Sept. 6, at St. Philip-road, Pulston, to the [illegible]

[In Memoriam.]

EASLEHAM.—In loving memory of [illegible]

FUNERALS by PETER ROBINSON CON- [illegible]

FUNERALS.—Kensington and Paddington.—Mr [illegible]

ECONOMY in FUNERALS.—D. COOKSEY, S. [illegible]

THE LONDON NECROPOLIS COMPANY con- [illegible] FUNERALS at FIXED CHARGES [illegible]

GENERAL NURSING INSTITUTE, [illegible]

[illegible]

CRYSTAL PALACE.—Admission 10.0 to 10.0, 1s. POPULAR VOCAL and INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT, [illegible] Vocalists, Mdlle. Jeanne Douste, Miss Claudine O'Brien, Miss [illegible], Mr. [illegible] Newbury, and Mr. Bagnet [illegible] Pianoforte, Miss [illegible]. The [illegible] Crystal Palace Orchestra, conductor, Mr. August Manns.

CRYSTAL PALACE.—COLDSTREAM GUARDS BAND (conductor, Mr. C. Thomas), by permission of Col. Wigram, C.B., from 6.15 THIS EVENING. [illegible] Late Afternoon Ballet, 4.5 [illegible] Organ Recitals, [illegible] Company's Military Band, 2.15, 4.45. Dr. Hoffmann's [illegible] Picture Gallery, open all day [illegible] Toboggans, Switchback Railway.

CRYSTAL PALACE.—GARDEN BALLET and ILLUMINATIONS THIS EVENING. [illegible] "The Midsummer Night's Dream," under direction of Madame Katti Lanner and Mr. Oscar Barrett. "A treat which [illegible] rivalled in this or probably any other country."—St. Stephen's Re- view. At 8.0. In Centre Transept if wet.

CRYSTAL PALACE.—BOOTLES' BABY, by the GLOBE THEATRE COMPANY, under direction of Mr. Edgar Bruce and Miss Edith Woodworth, on TUESDAY NEXT, at three. Mr. Richard Mansfield and his Lyceum theatre company [illegible] on Thursday Next, at three, in "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." [illegible]

CRYSTAL PALACE.—GREAT FIREWORK DIS- PLAY by C. T. Brock and Co., THURSDAY NEXT, at 8.0. The Great Firework Drama, "The Avalanche," with grander effects than at Brock's benefit; Shakespearian Fire Tableaux, "Where the Bee Sucks"; Brock's Flying Fireworks, &c.

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—Erroneous Impression.—WILL NOT BE CLOSED.—In the best show [illegible] Open Every Day. PERFORMANCES commence EVERY AFTER- NOON at three, and EVERY EVENING at eight. Admission 1s., children 6d., including the unreserved seats. Ask for railway tickets to St. James's Park Station, including admission.

EXCURSIONISTS.—Notice.—VISITORS from the country will be ADMITTED to the ROYAL AQUARIUM at 6d. each on production of the return halves of their railway tickets.

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—Mendelssohn—Handel.—Mr. KELSON TRUEMAN, the new English Tenor, will SING "If with all your hearts" (Elijah), at 4.0, and "Sound an alarm" (Judas Maccabæus), at 9.40, TO-DAY (Saturday), with the [illegible] organ.

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—FLYING SISTERS ON- GAU, from the Folies Bergeres, Paris, the greatest lady gymnasts on the Flying Trapeze ever seen in this country. Marvels of coolness. Unparalleled success.—EVERY AFTERNOON and EVENING.

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—The ROSSBACH TROUPE, Tableaux Vivants, the original Brown, Newland, and Wallace in "Black Justice," the Pygmies (15 minutes with Madame Tussaud's), Miss Lillie Western (the American Musical Marvel), Sam Redfern (the Black Philosopher), Wilson Brothers (Athletes), Ryan and Richfield (American Comedians), Miss Amy Tilly [illegible] Dances, Zella and Bijou (the beautiful Juvenile Character Duettists), Professor Cross (Phrenologist), &c.—EVERY AFTERNOON and EVENING.

BLONDIN, Blondin, Blondin.—SPECIAL EN- GAGEMENT of the great Blondin, the Hero of Niagara, after his return from America, to give a few performances, com- mencing MONDAY, the 24th inst., at the ROYAL AQUARIUM, S.W.

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—The world-renowned BECKWITHS. These amphibious wonders Willie and Charlie Beckwith and Professor Beckwith's Troupe of beautiful Lady Swimmers more successful than ever. Twice daily at 4.0 and 9.35.

FRENCH EXHIBITION.—ST. STEPHEN'S HALL (adjoining Royal Aquarium).—Grand collection of PICTURES and SCULPTURE, including the great picture "La Dame aux Camelias."—Admission from Broad Sanctuary, 1s., or from Royal Aquarium, 6d. Open till dusk.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—THIS DAY, One Shil- ling Day.—ORGAN RECITALS, at 12.30 and 3.45. The Company's Military Band, at 1.0 and 5.30. The Great Circus Com- pany, at 3.0 and 7.0. 1,000 free seats. Professor Baldwin's Great Jump, at 5.30. Grand opera, "Lucia de Lammermoor," at 6.30. Variety Entertainments, at 3.45 and 7.30. After the opera, Pompeii and Fireworks. Exhibition of Life-Saving Apparatus, [illegible], Miss A. Webb, Tobogganing, Roller Coaster, Boating, &c.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—THIS DAY, at 3.0 and 7.0, PERFORMANCES of the COMPANY'S GREAT INTERNATIONAL CIRCUS COMBINATION, in the new arena. 1,000 free seats. Best artists, splendid horses and ponies, and a frequent change of programme.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—BALDWIN.—The management has the pleasure to announce that Professor Baldwin has arranged to give a further short series of his marvellous exhibitions of daring and intrepidity, commencing THIS DAY, at 5.30.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—1,000ft. through Space. THIS DAY, at 5.30, Professor BALDWIN will make his unique and marvellous journey to Cloudland, and when reaching the altitude of 1,000ft. will make his descent with his new parachute. One Shilling Day.

ONE THOUSAND FEET THROUGH SPACE.—THIS DAY, at 5.30, Professor BALDWIN'S GREAT JUMP from the CLOUDS. The press of Great Britain, the Continent, and America unite in describing his feats as the most re- markable of this or any past century. One Shilling Day.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—Visitors are requested to arrive as early as possible to avoid the crowd, as Professor Baldwin cannot delay his ascent beyond the advertised time.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—LUCIA DI LAM- MERMOOR, Grand Opera, THIS DAY, at 6.30, under the direction of Mr. Valentine Smith. Misses Fanny Parkinson and Freeman; Messrs. C. H. Victor, Egbert Roberts, F. Stevens, Parry, and Valentine Smith, in his favourite role. Full orchestra and chorus. Conductor, Mr. Wm. Carter. Seats, 1s. to 5s.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—POMPEII.—THIS DAY, after opera, Representation of Messrs. Pain and Sons' LAST DAYS OF POMPEII, with all the scenic and pyro- technical effects, followed by a marvellous display of fireworks. One Shilling Day.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—Lieut. ALBINI'S SUR- PRISE PARTY and MYSTERIES of PARIS COMPANY. [illegible] Lincoln vanishing from a chair placed upon a table. New Flora Mystery. Fanl de Lara, Juvenile de Kolta. The [illegible]

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—THURSDAY NEXT.—BENEFIT of Messrs. JAMES PAIN and SONS, when the enormous popular programme usual on this occasion will be carried out.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—PAIN'S BENEFIT, NEXT THURSDAY.—Baldwin's Drop from the Clouds, Military and Orchestral Bands, Variety Entertainment, Inter- national Circus, Opera in Theatre, Colossal Display of Fireworks, [illegible] of Pompeii.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—PAIN'S BENEFIT, NEXT THURSDAY.—Colossal Display of Fireworks, the [illegible] Fire, the Earthquake, the Aurora Borealis, 10,000 Fiery Meteors, Thousands of Rockets and Shells, including Pain's Mammoth Shell Spreaders.

ALEXANDRA PALACE.—PAIN'S BENEFIT, NEXT THURSDAY.—Destruction of Pompeii, already witnessed by over a million people. Religious Procession, Gladia- torial Fights, Dancing Flower Girls, Wrestling, Eruption of Mount Vesuvius, Streams of Lava, Terrific Rumblings, Showers of Ashes, &c. Fall of the Palaces and Buildings, Flight of the panic-stricken Inhabitants, Final Destruction.

EGYPTIAN HALL.—England's Home of Mystery. Lessee and Manager, Mr. J. N. Maskelyne, [illegible] Year in London. PERFORMANCES TWICE DAILY, at three and eight. Fauteuils 5s., reserved seats, 3s., area 2s., bal- cony, 1s. Children half-price (balcony excepted). Schools and [illegible] treated.

EGYPTIAN HALL.—Notice.—In compliance with frequent requests, the ever-popular magical sketch, WILL, THE WITCH, AND THE WATCHMAN, will be revived for a few days only. The present season will terminate on the 29th inst., Mr. Maskelyne having arranged for a tour through the North of England during the autumn. The company will return to their Home of Mystery at Christmas with a programme of new myste- ries.

NIAGARA in LONDON.—Colossal pictorial [illegible] of the great falls by M. Philippoteaux, painter of the Siege of Paris. Largest picture in the world, with original effects. Electric light. Daily, from 10.0 to 10.0. 1s.—No fees.

NIAGARA in LONDON.—Pleasant lounge, music, American museum. Refreshments by [illegible] Famed [illegible] Band from the New Club Every Night, from seven to ten. Conductor, Herr Wurm.

NIAGARA in LONDON.—An accepted London in- stitution. Visited and approved of by everybody, from Royalty downwards. 600,000 visitors since March 12. Free bazaar, with all the comforts of a club.

WHERE is NIAGARA in LONDON? YORK- STREET, Westminster (end of the St. York street in London), near the Aquarium and St. James's Park Station, nearer [illegible] NIAGARA STREET [illegible] NEW YORK STREET.

MADAME TUSSAUD'S.—SILVER WEDDING GROUP, 1863, and [illegible], as viewed by their Royal Highnesses the Prince of Wales and Princess Victoria and Louise of Wales, March 22, 1888. Also the Late Frederick III. at the Lying in State of the Emperor William of Germany [illegible] Portrait Models. Superb New Court Dresses [illegible] Her Majesty's Drawing Rooms. Orchestra [illegible] open from nine a.m. till ten p.m.—Admission, 1s.; under 12, [illegible] Refreshments at popular prices.

CHAMBER of HORRORS.—JACKSON, the Man- chester Murderer. The Condemned Cell.—Madame Tus- saud's.

THE CAVENDISH ASSEMBLIES.—Season 1888. [illegible] SEPT. 17. SPECIAL VALSE NIGHT MON- DAY. Single tickets. The series comprises [illegible] Full Dress Balls at Willis's Rooms, [illegible] Fancy Dress Fêtes, [illegible] Cinderellas, 10 Petits Bals, 10 Private Evening Dress, 130 Plain Dress Assemblies. Subscription [illegible] The Cavendish Rooms, Mortimer-street, Cavendish-square.

ALHAMBRA.—The COOL LOUNGE.—Newly Decorated, Refurnished, and Lighted by Electricity. The coolest, most luxurious, and beautiful Theatre in the World. Prices 6d., 1s., 2s., 3s., and 5s.; private boxes, £1 1s. to £2 12s. 6d. Open 7.30 at 8.0 until 11.30.

ALHAMBRA.—TO-NIGHT, at nine, ANTIOPE, the Grand Spectacular Ballet, by E. Casati, with music by G. Jacobi, and in which appear Ida Bessone, Mdlle. Cossio, Mdlle. [illegible], and Mdlle. Marie appear.

ALHAMBRA.—The New Ballet, IDEALA, at 10.50. The Morning Post says: "Set off by bright music and [illegible] costumes, 'Ideala' forms a sparkling termination to the evening's programme."

ANTIOPE.—Another Alhambra Success.—The [illegible] says: "The scenery and music of the new ballet 'Antiope' are both remarkably good. . . . M. Alias's costumes are delightful . . . and nothing could be better than the stage pictures of Ephesus."

ALHAMBRA.—The BEAUTIFUL GERALDINE; Miss Minnie Marie, Slade Murray, Carlton Clare and his [illegible] the Delevines, Moss, [illegible], Brown, Newland, and Wallace, Bandford and Spry, and the [illegible] Concluding with the New Pastoral Ballet, IDEALA. Mdlle. [illegible] Marie, and [illegible]. Conductor, Mons. G. Jacobi. Open from 7.0 o'clock until 11.30.

THE EMPIRE THEATRE of VARIETIES.—[illegible] at 8.0. Two gorgeous Ballets, DILARA at [illegible], and ROSE D'AMOUR at 10.45. Produced by Augustus Harris and arranged by Madame Katti Lanner. Music by M. Hervé. Costumes by Madame Auguste and Miss Fisher, from designs by Wilhelm. Dancers [illegible] Signorinas Helene Cornalba and Palladino, Miss F. Vincent, Signorina Bettina de Sortis, Signor Luigi Albertieri and Mdlle. [illegible] the Flying Dancer appear.

THE EMPIRE THEATRE of VARIETIES, Lei- cester-square, is the most beautiful and luxurious theatre in Europe. Open at 8.0. At 8.0, DILARA. At 10.45, the new Grand Fairy and [illegible] ROSE D'AMOUR. Variety Entertain- ment, comprising [illegible], Carroll, Johnson, Victoria Lear, [illegible] Charles Godfrey, May Stone, the [illegible], the Phrenix, the O'Mears, [illegible]. Prices [illegible] from ten daily.

LONDON PAVILION.—The Daily News says: [illegible]

LONDON PAVILION.—The celebrated BEATRICE DE KOLTA [illegible]

LONDON PAVILION.—The Best Variety Com- pany in London. BEATRICE DE KOLTA, [illegible]

OXFORD.—JACKLEY WONDERS, Music Com- [illegible]

CANTERBURY THEATRE of VARIETIES.—[illegible] FREDERICK'S PERFORMING CATS [illegible]

CANTERBURY THEATRE of VARIETIES.—An entirely new and original sketch [illegible] THE LITTLE GIPSY [illegible] Doors open the evening at 7.30.

METROPOLITAN, Edgware-road.—TO-NIGHT, [illegible] JACK, the CAT, and the MILL. [illegible] Manager, Mr. W. James.

ROYAL, Holborn.—Always a grand company. [illegible] Prices from 6d. to £2 2s. Every Evening at 7.30. Saturday Matinees, 2.30.

ROYAL, Holborn.—THIS EVENING, at ten, a TERRIBLE NIGHT, by PAUL MARTINETTI [illegible]

PARAGON THEATRE of VARIETIES.—Professor FREDERICK'S PERFORMING CATS [illegible] White, Le Dolse Adams, Alec Venott Company.

ROYAL ACADEMY of MUSIC. Instituted 1822. Incorporated by Royal Charter 1830. Under the immediate patronage of the QUEEN and the Royal Family. Principal, Dr. A. C. MACKENZIE. The NEXT CONCERT will take place in OCTOBER. The Michaelmas Term will begin Monday, Sept. 24. Examina- tion for admission Saturday, Sept. 22, at eleven. Tenterden-street, Hanover-square. JOHN GILL, Secretary.

ROYAL COLLEGE of MUSIC, Kensington Gore, London. Incorporated by Royal Charter 1883. President, H.R.H. the Prince of WALES, K.G. Director, Sir GEORGE GROVE, D.C.L., LL.D. NEXT COLLEGE CONCERT will be given in OCTOBER. Christmas Term commences Sept. 26. Entrance examination Sept. 24. [illegible] Regulations and all information may be obtained of the Regis- trar, Mr. George Watson, at the College. CHARLES MORLEY, Hon. Sec.

ROYAL CHORAL SOCIETY. Patron, Her Majesty the QUEEN. President, H.R.H. the Duke of EDINBURGH, K.G. Conductor, Mr. Barnby. There are a few VACANCIES in the choir for TENORS and BASSES. Only those who have good, powerful voices, and who can read music at first sight, will be accepted.—Apply to Mr. J. [illegible]

TRINITY COLLEGE, London.—For MUSICAL EDUCATION and EXAMINATION, &c., and for the granting of Certificates and Diplomas in Music. Inst. 1872. President, The Earl of ABERDEEN. The NEXT STUDENTS' CONCERT will take place on TUES- DAY, Oct. [illegible] The Inaugural Address to the Session by the Warden (the Rev. H. G. Bonavia Hunt, Mus. D., F.R.S. Edin.) will be delivered on the same date. Subject, Music of the Victorian Era (first Queen Victoria Lecture). Michaelmas Term commences Sept. 24, when new students are received. Prospectus and all particulars can be obtained from the Secre- tary. By order of the Academical Board. Mandeville-place, Manchester-square, W.

THE LONDON ACADEMY of MUSIC, St. George's Hall, Langham-place, W.; at 2, Harrington-gardens, South Kensington, and at [illegible] Principal, Professor WYLDE, Mus. Doc. Cantab. The NEXT ORCHESTRAL PRACTICE, FRIDAY, Oct. 5. The Autumn Term commences Oct. 1. Piano, Dr. Wylde, J. F. Barnett, M. M. Henseler, Loman, Trew, Roche, Mattei, Bonnet, Lehmeyer. Singing, M. Garcia, Visetti, Raimo, G. Garcia, Denza, Badia, Bonetti, Benoît, Mesdames Della Valle, Rose Hersee, and Badia. Violin, Pollitzer, Ludwig, Erba. Harp, Oberthür. Cello, Pezze. Fee, three to five guineas, at St. George's Hall, four to six guineas at branches, is for the course of instruction in four studies. Prospectus by post. C. TREW, Hon. Sec.

KENSINGTON SCHOOL of MUSIC, 128, Crom- well-road, S.W. Established 1876. Under the immediate patronage of H.R.H. Princess CHRISTIAN, H.R.H. the Princess MARY ADELAIDE, Duchess of TECK, H.H. the Duke of TECK. President, H.R.H. Prince CHRISTIAN. Principal, Mr. William Buels. The NEXT STUDENTS' CONCERT, OCT. 16. Private Lessons in Singing, on the Pianoforte, Violin, Violon- cello, &c. Prospectus of the Secretary.

LONDON ORGAN SCHOOL and COLLEGE of MUSIC.—Established 1865 by the Rev. Scotson Clark, Mus. B. Patron—His Grace the Archbishop of CANTERBURY. Principal, Henry Clark. The NEXT STUDENTS' CONCERT will take place at ST. JAMES'S HALL, in NOVEMBER. The next Students' Rehearsal, Sept. 22. The next organ Recital, Sept. 29. Private lessons and classes, singing, piano, violin, organ, &c. Lessons day and evening. Three manual organs on premises. Pupils can enter at any time. Omnibuses from all parts. 3, Princes-street, Cavendish-square, W. (close to Oxford-circus). For prospectus and further particulars apply to T. H. Y. Trotter, M.A., Mus. Bac. Oxon.

ACADEMY for the HIGHER DEVELOPMENT of PIANOFORTE PLAYING, 12, Hinde-street, Manchester- square, W. President—FRANKLIN TAYLOR. Director—OSCAR BERINGER. The NEXT STUDENTS' CONCERT will take place in NOVEM- BER. Term begins Oct. 1. Entrance day, Sept. 27, from ten to five. Two pianoforte and one harmony and composition lessons Weekly. Fee, six guineas per term. For prospectuses and all particulars apply to the Director.

LONDON CONSERVATOIRE CONCERTS and SCHOLARSHIPS for talented young musicians desiring [illegible] LANSDOWNE COTTELL, Director.

HARROW MUSIC SCHOOL (South Hampstead Branch). The NEXT STUDENTS' CONCERT will take place in OCTOBER. The Winter Term will commence on Tuesday, Sept. 18. [illegible] parade, N.W. HANNAH L. FOX, RUSSELL FROST, Principals.

THIS AFTERNOON (Saturday), at three, the MOORE and BURGESS MINSTRELS will give a GRAND DAY PERFORMANCE of their new and extraordinarily successful entertainment, at the ST. JAMES'S HALL, Piccadilly. Omnibuses run direct from the Italian Exhibition to the doors of St. James's Hall. Doors open at 2.30.

MOORE and BURGESS MINSTRELS, ST. JAMES'S HALL, the oldest established and the most popular entertainment on earth. [illegible] EVERY NIGHT, at eight. Day Performances Every Mon- day, Wednesday, and Saturday, at three o'clock, as well. No fees of any kind. [illegible]

MOORE and BURGESS MINSTRELS.—ST. JAMES'S HALL. EVERY NIGHT, at eight. Day Per- formances every Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday, at three o'clock. Fauteuils 5s., sofa stalls, 3s., area, raised seats, 2s., gal- lery 1s. [illegible]

THE MOORE and BURGESS MINSTRELS.—New and glorious Entertainment, at the ST. JAMES'S HALL, EVERY NIGHT, at eight. Day Performances every Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday, at three o'clock, as well. STRATTON'S [illegible] "The Whistling Coon," at every performance. [illegible]

MR. G. W. MOORE, the universal favourite Come- dian, having returned to England after his summer holiday, will now appear at every performance given by the MOORE and BURGESS MINSTRELS, at the ST. JAMES'S HALL.

THE INAUGURAL PERFORMANCE of the MOORE and BURGESS MINSTRELS TWENTY-FOURTH consecutive YEAR, at the ST. JAMES'S HALL, will take place on TUESDAY NIGHT, Sept. 18, when an entirely new and highly attractive ENTERTAINMENT will be given in honour of this remarkable occasion.—Places for this performance can be booked at the office, St. James's Hall, This Day, from 9.30 till 7.0.

MOHAWKS.—BALD-head-WIN Drops from the Clouds EVERY EVENING, at [illegible] Enormous success. [illegible] ROYAL AGRICULTURAL HALL. Every Evening, at eight.

BOOSEY and CO.'S NEW SONGS.

IN SWEET SEPTEMBER. Hope Temple's last new song, will be SUNG by Miss CLARA SAMUELL, at MAN- CHESTER, THIS DAY. Boosey and Co.

THE OLD WHERRY. Behrend; will be SUNG by Madame VALLERIA at the PROMENADE CONCERTS, COVENT GARDEN, THIS DAY. Boosey and Co.

THE OLD WHERRY. Behrend; will be SUNG by Miss ANNIE RICHARDSON, at SOUTHPORT, THIS DAY. Boosey and Co.

A MOTHER'S LOVE. Hope Temple; will be SUNG by Miss LUCILLE SAUNDERS at LLANDUDNO, THIS DAY. Boosey and Co., 295, Regent-street, W.

CHAPPELL and CO.'S NEW SONGS.

THE GARDEN OF SLEEP. Miss LUCILLE SAUNDERS will SING [illegible] at LLANDUDNO, and Miss Amy [illegible], THIS DAY. 2s. net. Chappell and Co., 50, New Bond- street, and 15, Poultry, E.C.

TO LOVE. Miss LILLIE MOWBRAY will SING [illegible] new song, at KING'S LYNN, EVERY EVENING. 2s. net. Chappell and Co., 50, New Bond-street, and [illegible]

DEAR HEART. Miss CORNELIA PAGE will SING Tito Mattei's very popular song, at WALTHAMSTOW, THIS DAY. 2s. net. Chappell and Co., 50, New Bond-street, and 15, Poultry, E.C.

ALL IN A GARDEN FAIR. Madame MARIE ROZE will SING Michael Watson's charming song, THIS DAY, at LEAMINGTON [illegible] In E flat, F and G. Waltz by Otto Roeder. [illegible]

MADAME MARIE ROZE will SING Watson's "All in a Garden Fair," NIGHTLY on tour; 17th, Mal- vern; 18th, Bournemouth; 21st, Southampton; 21st, Southsea; 22nd, Richmond. Waltz by Roeder. [illegible]

ALL IN A GARDEN FAIR. Madame MARIE ROZE will SING Michael Watson's charming song, NIGHTLY on tour. In E flat, F and G. Waltz by Otto Roeder. [illegible]

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THE COUNTRY DANCE. Roeckel's popular new song, TO-NIGHT, by Madame BERTA FORESTA, at SOUTHSEA; [illegible] Madame Lowe, Southampton; [illegible] Miss Lillie [illegible] Lynn. [illegible], 14 and 14a, Great Marlborough- street, W.

AT THE CONVENT GATE, by T. Paolo Tosti.—Miss LUCILLE SAUNDERS will SING this popular song on the 15th and [illegible] at LLANDUDNO, and on the 25th and 27th inst., at Folkestone. [illegible] and Co., 265, Regent- street, W.

TOSTI'S new song, "We have Loved," will be SUNG TO-DAY, by Miss FLORENCE EMERSON, at the AGRICULTURAL HALL. [illegible] and Co., 265, Regent- street, W.

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OH! I WISH I WERE SOME OTHER FELLAH! [illegible] LIONEL BROUGH, at the ROYALTY THEATRE, TO-NIGHT.

OH! I WISH I WERE SOME OTHER FELLAH! [illegible] LIONEL BROUGH, TO-NIGHT, at the ROYALTY THEATRE. [illegible]

OH! I WISH I WERE SOME OTHER FELLAH! Sung by LIONEL BROUGH. [illegible] Berners-street, London, W., and [illegible]

THE SOLDIER'S VOW, new Song (Lovett King), [illegible] TO-NIGHT [illegible] Mr. JAMES BAYNE [illegible]

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RENT FREE (Klein).—Miss MARIE VAGNO- LINI will SING Henry Klein's new song, at WANDS- WORTH, [illegible]

MARCH OF THE PILGRIM FATHERS, by E. L. [illegible] GLASGOW EXHIBITION, THIS DAY, by Mr. LUTHER HALL. [illegible]

THINE AM I, MY FAITHFUL FAIR. Song. A. [illegible] Mr. H. BEAUMONT will SING this [illegible] TO-NIGHT, at SCARBOROUGH. [illegible]

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- 10. 0 a.m.—Main Building, Fine Art Galleries, and Annexes Open.
- 11.30 a.m.—Roman Forum, Borghese Gardens, Capri Grotto.
- 11.30 a.m.—Antique Statuary (Copies from the Vatican).
- 12.30 p.m.—The late King Victor Emmanuel's Hunting Tent, A Street in Pompeii, Faenza Pottery Manufacture, Venetian Lace Makers, Italian Naval Exhibits.
- 1.30 p.m.—The Sorrento Singers and Tarantella Performers.
- 2. 0 to 10.0 p.m.—The Italian Exhibition Band. Alpine Switchback Railway.
- 3. 0 p.m.—The Neapolitan Mandolinists in Wine Annexe.
- 3. 0 p.m.—The Celebrated Italian Marionettes.
- 4. 0 p.m.—Roman Colosseum on "Wild West" Arena.
- 4.30 p.m.—The Neapolitan Mandolinists.
- 5. 0 p.m.—The Sorrento Singers and Tarantella Performers.
- 6. 0 p.m.—"Quadrina" Italian Dance.
- 7.30 p.m.—The Neapolitan Mandolinists in Wine Annexe.
- 7.30 p.m.—The Celebrated Italian Marionettes.
- 8. 0 p.m.—Roman Colosseum on "Wild West" Arena.
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Khedive	3,660	Sept. 28	—	—	Oct. 8
[illegible]	3,041	Oct. 4	Oct. 11	Oct. 13	—
[illegible]	[illegible]	Oct. 11	—	—	Oct. 22

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Oct. 19	Victoria	Capt. [illegible]	6,[illegible]	7,000
Nov. 2	Massilia	Capt. S. [illegible] Shepard	4,918	5,000
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UNION LINE.—For SOUTH AFRICAN GOLD FIELDS.—CAPE of GOOD HOPE, NATAL, and EAST AFRICAN ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.—The Union Steamship Company's Royal Mail Steamers will sail as follows for the SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS and DELAGOA BAY, calling at LISBON and MADEIRA:

Steamers.	Hamburg.	Southampton.	Plymouth.
Tartar.	Sept. 14.	Thursday, Sept. 20.	Sept. 21.
Trojan.	Sept. 28.	Thursday, Oct. 4.	Oct. 5.
Moor.		Thursday, Oct. 18.	Oct. 19.

RETURN TICKETS issued to Madeira and South Africa. Apply to the Union Steamship Company (Limited), Oriental- place, Southampton, or 11, Leadenhall-street, London.

CASTLE LINE.—For the GOLD FIELDS of SOUTH AFRICA.—CAPE COLONY, NATAL, EAST AFRICA, MAURITIUS, and MADAGASCAR.—The CASTLE COMPANY'S ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS load in EAST INDIA DOCK BASIN, London, and sail as follows:

Steamers.	From London.	From Dartmouth.
*Strathallan Castle.	Wed., Sept. 26.	Friday, Sept. 28.
†Drummond Castle.	Wed., Oct. 10.	Friday, Oct. 12.
*Roslin Castle.	Wed., Oct. 24.	Friday, Oct. 26.

* Via Lisbon and Madeira for South and East Africa. † Via Lisbon, Las Palmas, and St. Helena for South Africa, Mauritius, &c.—Next steamer leaves London Oct. 3. Return Tickets issued to all ports. Apply to Donald Currie and Co., 3 and 4, Fenchurch-st., London, E.C.

HALIFAX, N.S., and BOSTON, U.S.A.—The fine full-powered steamer BRITISH QUEEN (Capt. R. Wills) will be despatched from VICTORIA DOCK, SEPT. 28. Has splendid accommodation for saloon passengers. Fares 10 to 12 guineas.—Apply to Thomas Ronaldson and Co., 36, Leadenhall- street, E.C., or Hickie, Borman, and Co., 14, Waterloo-place, Pall- mall, S.W.

YACHTING CRUISE to SUNNY LANDS and SEAS.—The splendid steam yacht CEYLON, 2,200 tons register, Lieutenant Sydney R. Parry Caines, R.N.R., Commander, will leave GRAVESEND on SATURDAY, Sept. 29, for a 30 days' pleasure cruise, to Lisbon, Gibraltar, Tangiers, Canary Islands, Santa Cruz, for Orotava and the Peak of Teneriffe, Madeira, and St. Michael's, Azores. The favourite yacht is replete with every comfort, has unrivalled accommodation, and is lighted throughout by electricity. For further particulars apply to the Manager, Steam Yacht Ceylon office, 7, Pall-mall, S.W.

HAMBURG from London direct.—EVERY THURSDAY and SATURDAY, £2, £1. Returns, £3 5s. 6d., £1 11s. HAMBURG, via Liverpool-street and Harwich.—Express Route. Every Wednesday and Saturday, at eight p.m. £2 10s., £1 7s. 6d. Returns, £3 16s. 6d., £2 2s. 9d. COPENHAGEN.—Special Excursion, every Wednesday and Saturday, from Liverpool-street station, at eight p.m., £5 and £4 10s. OSTEND.—Every Wednesday and Saturday. BOULOGNE.—Sept. 15th, at 8.0 p.m.; 18, at 11.0 p.m. BORDEAUX.—Every Friday, returning Friday. ANTWERP.—Every Wednesday and Saturday, at three p.m. EDINBURGH.—Every Wednesday and Saturday. HULL.—Every Wednesday and Saturday, at eight a.m. For particulars apply to the G. S. N. Co., 55, Great Tower-street, or 14, Waterloo-place, London.

HULL.—From LONDON (Irongate and St. Katha- rine's Wharf), EVERY WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, at eight a.m. Fares 10s. and 7s.; return 15s. and 11s.—Apply to the G. S. N. Co., 55, Great Tower-st., or 14, Waterloo-place, London.

YARMOUTH (from London Bridge Wharf) DAILY (Sundays excepted), at 9.0 a.m. Fares 8s., 6s. Return (available until end of season) 12s., 9s. Children under twelve half-price. On and after the 17th inst. the vessels will leave London every Monday and Friday, and Yarmouth every Wed- nesday and Saturday, until further notice. The passenger service will cease with the departure from London on Friday, the 21st inst., and from Yarmouth on Saturday, the 22nd inst.

DOVER and DEAL, by SEA, from LONDON BRIDGE WHARF, TO-DAY, at 11.0 a.m., by the magni- ficent new saloon steamer ORIOLE, or other boat. Fare 7s.; children, 4s. Dover Excursion (there and back, to return by L. C. and D. R. or water), 12s. 6d.; children, 7s.—Apply to the G. S. N. Co., 55, Great Tower-street. Special Notice.—This departure will be the Last of the Season.

MARGATE and BACK.—The Last Excursion of the Season TO-MORROW (Sunday), from LONDON BRIDGE WHARF, at 9.0 a.m. (calling at Blackwall). Fare there and back, saloon 5s. Children under 12, 2s. 6d.

MARGATE and RAMSGATE, from LONDON BRIDGE WHARF DAILY (Sundays excepted), at 11.0 a.m., calling at Blackwall and Tilbury Piers. Single fare, 5s. and 4s., children under 12, 2s. 6d. The new magnificent saloon steamers ORIOLE and MAVIS are now running on this station.

LONDON and SCOTLAND.—The CARRON LINE of first-class passenger STEAMERS sail from CARRON and LONDON and CONTINENTAL STEAM WHARVES, 87-93, Lower East Smithfield, EVERY WEDNESDAY and SATUR- DAY, for Grangemouth. Returning from Grangemouth every Tuesday and Saturday. Average passage 30 hours. Trains run alongside the steamers at Grangemouth. The best and cheapest route to the Glasgow Exhibition. First Cabin and third class rail, return, including admission, 4s. Through bookings to Oban and the Highlands, and circular tours round Land's End, &c. For particulars as to fares, berths, and all other information, apply to John Smellier and Son (Limited), 85, Queen Victoria- street, E.C.; Newcomb and Son, 6, Waterloo, E.C.; and Carron Company's Wharves, Lower East Smithfield, E.

SCARBOROUGH (calling off) and SUNDERLAND (weather permitting).—SS. GEN. HAVELOCK, lighted by electricity (T. Douglas), leaves GUN and SHOT WHARF, Mor- gan's-lane, Tooley-street, S.E., WEDNESDAY, Sept. 19, at 1.0 p.m. Large iron paddle tender stationed at Scarborough to land and embark passengers.

CLACTON-ON-SEA.—THIS DAY and DAILY the fine new saloon steamer CLACTON, of the London, Woolwich, and Clacton-on-Sea Steamboat Company (Limited), will leave OLD SWAN PIER, LONDON BRIDGE, at 9.30 a.m., for Gravesend and Clacton-on-Sea, calling at Blackwall and North Woolwich, and returning same day. The boat will cease running for the season after Thursday next, the 20th inst.—Office, 33, Wal- brook, E.C.

LAST TRIP of the SEASON ROUND the NORE, by ss. ARRAN, from FRESH WHARF, London Bridge, on SUNDAY, 16th, at 10.15. After this date steamer will cease sailing for the season.

THE VICTORIA STEAMBOAT ASSOCIATION (Limited).—SEA and RIVER TRIPS, by Saloon Steamers Alexandra, Glen Rosa, Duke of Edinburgh, Osprey, and 30 other steamers. IPSWICH, Harwich, Walton, Clacton, and Southend by the Glen Rosa (the admitted Greyhound of the Thames), every Tues- day, Thursday, and Saturday, from London Bridge (Old Swan Pier), at 9.0 a.m., calling at Greenwich about 9.20, Blackwall about 9.32, North Woolwich about 9.45, Rosherville about 10.35, Gravesend about 10.45, returning every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, from Ipswich at 11.0. Special tender for Glen Rosa will leave Old Swan at 9.15 for late passengers. Southend, Sheerness, Rosherville, and Gravesend, daily, at 10.0 a.m., from London Bridge (Old Swan Pier), calling at Greenwich about 10.25, Blackwall about 10.40, and Woolwich about 10.50. Rosherville and Gravesend, Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, at 9.0, and daily at 10.0, 10.30, and 3.0, from Old Swan Pier, by saloon steamer, calling at Greenwich, Blackwall, and North Woolwich. Kew Gardens, open daily (Sunday included). Admission free. Steamers at frequent intervals from London Bridge, calling at all piers. Hammersmith Pier now open to the public. Steamers to and from Hammersmith, Kew, Putney, Wandsworth, [illegible] every half-hour, to Hampton Court and Richmond daily, at 11.30. Greenwich Park, every half-hour, from all piers. Battersea Park, every 10 minutes, from London Bridge, calling at all piers. Hampton Court and Richmond, from London Bridge (Old Swan Pier), at ten o'clock every day, calling at all piers. Express Steamers Daily (Sundays excepted), from Battersea- square Pier, at 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, 9.0, and 9.10, calling at Cadogan Pier, Chelsea, Battersea Park, Pimlico, Lambeth, Westminster, Temple, to London Bridge.

YARMOUTH, Lowestoft, Norwich, and Bury St. Edmunds, via Ipswich.—Steamboat GLEN ROSA (the ad- mitted Greyhound of the Thames) to IPSWICH EVERY TUES- DAY, Thursday, and Saturday, 9.0 a.m., from OLD SWAN PIER, London Bridge, calling at Greenwich, Blackwall, Wool- wich, and Gravesend, reaching Ipswich about 4.0 p.m. Special tender for Glen Rosa will leave Old Swan at 9.15, for late passen- gers. Fare to Ipswich, 5s. 6d. and 4s. 6d.; return, during season, 8s. 6d. and 6s. 6d. Plenty of trains in connection. Returning from Ipswich at 11.0 a.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Reasonable luggage free.—Full particulars on application, post free, Edgar Shand, Victoria Steamboats, Suffolk House, Cannon- street, City, E.C.

THE GLEN ROSA, to CLACTON and BACK, TO-MORROW (Sunday), from London Bridge (Old Swan Pier), at nine, calling at Greenwich, Blackwall, North Woolwich, Rosherville, and Gravesend. Fares, single, 3s.; return, 4s. 6d. Special tender from Old Swan Pier at 9.15 for late passengers.

BRIGHTON.—CHEAP FIRST-CLASS DAY TICKETS, LONDON to BRIGHTON, EVERY WEEK- DAY. From Victoria 10.0 a.m. Fare 12s. 6d., including Pullman Car. Cheap Half-guinea First Class Day Tickets to Brighton. Every Saturday, from Victoria and London Bridge. Admitting to the Grand Aquarium and Royal Pavilion. Cheap first class Day Tickets to Brighton every Sunday. From Victoria at 10.45 a.m. and 12.15 p.m. Fare 10s.

BRIGHTON.—SATURDAY to TUESDAY.—SPE- CIAL CHEAP TRAINS every Saturday, from VICTORIA, 6.25 a.m. and 2.0 p.m., calling at Clapham Junction; from Ken- sington (Addison-road), 2.10 p.m., and 1.50 p.m., calling at West Brompton, Chelsea, and Battersea; from London Bridge, 6.30 a.m. and 2.26 p.m., calling at New-cross, Norwood Junction, and East Croydon. Returning only on the following Tuesday, and then only by the 6.55 a.m. Train. Fare 5s.

BRIGHTON and BACK for THREE SHILLINGS, EVERY SATURDAY and MONDAY, from VICTORIA 8.25 a.m., calling at Clapham Junction; from London Bridge 8.30 a.m., calling at New-cross, Norwood Junction, and East Croydon, and from Kensington (Addison-road) 8.10 a.m., calling at West Brompton, Chelsea, and Battersea. Returning same day only.

BRIGHTON and BACK for THREE SHILLINGS, EVERY SUNDAY, from VICTORIA 8.50 a.m., from Lon- don Bridge 8.55 a.m., calling at New-cross, and from Kensington (Addison-road) 8.50 a.m., calling at West Brompton, Chelsea, Bat- tersea, Clapham Junction, Balham, Streatham-hill, Crystal Palace, Norwood Junction, East Croydon, and South Croydon. Returning same day only.

PORTSMOUTH and ISLE of WIGHT.—SATUR- DAY to TUESDAY. CHEAP TRAINS every Satur- day by Direct Main Line Route, from VICTORIA 1.0 p.m., call- ing at Clapham Junction; from Kensington (Addison-road) 12.45 p.m.; from London Bridge 2.46 p.m., calling at New-cross, Nor- wood Junction, and West Croydon. Returning the following Tues- day. Portsmouth Town and Southsea fare 5s. Through Tickets at Cheap Fares are also issued by these trains to Ryde and all stations in the Isle of Wight.

PORTSMOUTH and BACK.—EVERY SUNDAY from LONDON BRIDGE 8.55 a.m., VICTORIA 9.0 a.m., calling at Clapham Junction, Mitcham Junction, Sutton, Epsom, Leatherhead, and Dorking. Returning the same day. Portsmouth fare 4s.

PORTSMOUTH and ROUND the ISLE of WIGHT, EVERY MONDAY from LONDON BRIDGE 6.45 a.m., VICTORIA 6.55 a.m., calling at Clapham Junction, Sut- ton, and Dorking. Returning the same day. Portsmouth Town and Southsea fare 6s. Fare, including steamboat trip round the Island, 7s. 6d.

ARUNDEL and LITTLEHAMPTON EVERY SUNDAY. CHEAP DAY RETURN TICKETS from LONDON BRIDGE and VICTORIA 8.15 a.m., Clapham Junction 8.20 a.m., Peckham-rye, 8.20 a.m., Tulse-hill, 8.25 a.m. Returning same day. Fares, Arundel, 5s.; Littlehampton, 5s. 6d.

HASTINGS, St. Leonards, Bexhill, and East- bourne.—CHEAP FAST TRAINS EVERY WEEK DAY from VICTORIA 9.55 a.m., London Bridge, 9.55 a.m., New-cross, 10.0 a.m., East Croydon, 10.25 a.m., Kensington (Addison-road), 9.5 a.m., calling at Clapham Junction. Special Fast Trains every Sunday, from London Bridge, 9.25 a.m., New-cross, 9.30 a.m., Victoria, 9.25 a.m., Kensington (Addi- son-road), 9.10 a.m., Clapham Junction, 9.30 a.m., and East Croy- don, 9.50 a.m. Special Day Return Tickets 15s., 10s. 6d., and 6s.

HASTINGS, St. Leonards, Bexhill, and East- bourne and BACK for FOUR SHILLINGS.—EVERY MONDAY. SPECIAL CHEAP TRAINS from VICTORIA and LONDON BRIDGE, 8.0 a.m., calling at Clapham Junction, New- cross, and East Croydon. Returning same day.

PARIS.—SHORTEST CHEAPEST ROUTE.—Via Newhaven, Dieppe, and Rouen.—EXPRESS DAY SERVICE EVERY WEEK DAY, as under:

	Victoria Station.	London Bridge Station.	Paris.
Sept. 17	Dep. 10.[illegible] a.m.	Dep. 10.[illegible] a.m.	Arr. 10.[illegible] p.m.
„ 18	„ 11 30 a.m.	„ 11 [illegible] a.m.	„ 11 [illegible] p.m.
„ 19	„ 11 50 a.m.	„ 11 [illegible] a.m.	„ 12 [illegible] night.
„ 20	„ [illegible]	„ [illegible]	„ [illegible]

Fixed Service.—Leaving Victoria 7.50 p.m. and London Bridge 8.0 p.m., every week day and Sunday. Fares, London to Paris and back: 1st Class, £2 17 3; 2nd Class, £2 1 0. Available for return within one month. Third Class return tickets by the night service, 33s. A spacious and commodious station has been constructed on the new East Quay at Newhaven, wherein passengers will find every possible convenience and comfort. The Brittany, Normandy, Paris, and Rouen, splendid fast paddle steamers, accomplish the passage between Newhaven and Dieppe frequently in about 3½ hours. Trains run alongside steamers at Newhaven and Dieppe. A Pullman Drawing-room Car will be run in the Special Day Tidal train each way between Victoria and Newhaven.

FOR full particulars see time book, tourists' pro- gramme, and handbills, to be obtained at Victoria, London Bridge, or any other Station, and at the following Branch offices, where tickets may also be obtained: West-end General Office, 28, Regent-circus, Piccadilly, and 8, Grand Hotel-buildings, Trafalgar- square; Hays' Agency, Cornhill; and Cook's Ludgate-circus Office. (By order) A. SARLE, Secretary and General Manager.

GREAT EASTERN RAILWAY.—SEASIDE.—An ACCELERATED and IMPROVED SERVICE of FAST TRAINS is now running to YARMOUTH, Lowestoft, Cromer, Clacton- on-Sea, Walton-on-the-Naze, Harwich, Dovercourt, Aldeburgh, Felix- stowe, Southwold, Hunstanton, and Cromer. Tourist, Fortnightly, and Friday or Saturday to Tuesday Tickets are issued by all Trains. A Cheap Day Trip to the Seaside.—To Clacton-on-Sea, Walton- on-the-Naze, and Harwich Daily, leaving Liverpool-street at 9.10 a.m. on Sundays, 8.25 a.m. on Mondays, and 7.5 a.m. on other days. Broxbourne and Rye House.—Excursion Tickets are issued Daily from Liverpool-street, Bishopsgate, Bethnal-green, &c. Fares 2s., 1s. 6d., 1s. 3d. Epping Forest.—Excursion Tickets are issued Daily by any Train from Liverpool-street and Fenchurch-street, &c., to Chig- well, Woodford, Buckhurst Hill, and Loughton. Fares, 2s., 1s. 3d., 1s. For full particulars see bills. London, Sept., 1888. WILLIAM BIRT, General Manager.

LONDON, TILBURY, and SOUTHEND RAIL- WAY.

SOUTHEND and BACK, 2s. 6d., from FEN- CHURCH-STREET, Stepney, Bromley, Plaistow, and Upton Park, at 9.42 and 9.30 a.m. Gravesend and back and Rosherville Gardens (including admission), 1s. 9d., by all ordinary and express trains on week days. Return tickets for the above places at the same fare by all trains on Sundays. ARTHUR L. STRIDE, Manager.

SOUTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.—DAY TRIPS EVERY SUNDAY. To SOUTHAMPTON (West), Lyndhurst road and Brockenhurst (for the New Forest), and BOURNEMOUTH, at Cheap Fares, leaving Waterloo 9.30 a.m., Kensington 8.45, West Brompton 8.51, Chelsea 8.55, Vauxhall 9.35, Clapham Junction 9.42, Wimbledon 8.54, Surbiton 9.51 a.m., &c. PORTSMOUTH for 4s.; Ryde for Isle of Wight (in connection), Midhurst for 3s. 6d., and Havant for 4s., from Waterloo at 9.0, Vauxhall 8.50, Kensington 8.30, West Brompton 8.[illegible], Chelsea 8.35, Clapham Junction 8.5 a.m., Surbiton 9.15 a.m., &c. ALDERSHOT CAMP for 2s., and Farnborough for 2s., from Water- loo at 9.5 a.m., Vauxhall 9.10, Kensington 8.[illegible], West Brompton 8.43, Chelsea 8.45, Clapham Junction 9.17, Surbiton 9.[illegible] a.m., &c. DAY TRIPS EVERY MONDAY. To SOUTHAMPTON and BACK for 4s., and Cowes and back for 5s. 6d., from Waterloo 7.5 a.m., Kensington 7.7, West Brompton 7.10, Chelsea 7.12, Vauxhall 7.0, Clapham Junction 6.35, Wimble- don 7.5, Surbiton 6.39. PORTSMOUTH (boats for Isle of Wight and Excursion Round the Island in connection) and Havant, leaving Waterloo at 6.4 a.m., Kensington 6.5, West Brompton 6.8, Chelsea 6.10, calling at Vauxhall and Clapham Junction, Surbiton, &c. Tickets can be obtained beforehand, and every information as to South Western Company's offices, where small bills and tourist programmes can be obtained, or by post from the Office of the Traffic Superintendent, Waterloo. CHAS. SCOTTER, General Manager.

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	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Leave Victoria	11 25	1 [illegible]	3 [illegible]	1 15
Leave Holborn Viaduct	11 22	12 57	3 [illegible]	1 50
Leave St. Paul's	11 25	1 0	3 [illegible]	1 [illegible]

Fares. Single. Return. 1st class, 10s.; 3rd class, 5s. 1st class, 15s.; 3rd class, 8s.

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GAZE'S CONDUCTED TOURS. Paris, Every Saturday and Monday. Brussels and the Exhibition, Every Friday. Rhine, Holland, and Belgium, Sept. 17. Switzerland Grand Tour, Sept. 20. Spain and Morocco, Sept. 17. Italy and South France, Sept. 24. Egypt and the Holy Land, Oct. 13. H. GAZE and SON, 142, Strand, and Piccadilly-circus.

BANK of ENGLAND, 13th September, 1888.—The Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give notice, that a GENERAL COURT will be held at the BANK on THURSDAY, the 20th instant, at twelve o'clock precisely, to consider of a dividend; this will also be one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter. HAMMOND CHUBB, Secretary.

THE BUENOS AYRES GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY (Limited).—The Directors of the Buenos Ayres Great Southern Railway Company (Limited) Hereby give Notice, that the ORDINARY YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of the company will be held at the TERMINUS HOTEL, Cannon-street, in the City of London, on THURSDAY, the 27th day of September, 1888, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at which the directors' report and an audited statement of accounts for the year ended the 30th June, 1888, will be presented, and the ordinary business of the company transacted. And Notice is Hereby Further Given, that at the said meeting resolutions will be proposed for the purpose of raising further capital, and for other purposes of the company, copies of which resolutions have been sent to the proprietors, and may be obtained at the offices of the company. The Transfer Books and Register of Members of the Company will be Closed from the 13th to the 29th inst., both days inclusive. Dated this 10th day of September, 1888. By order, T. H. RIDSDALE, Secretary. Offices of the Company, 7, Finsbury circus, London, E.C.

THE JACKSON PATENT BOOT SOLE SEW- ING MACHINE COMPANY (Limited).—Notice is Hereby Given that, in pursuance of Section 142 of the Companies Act 1862, a GENERAL MEETING of the members of the above- named Company will be held at No. 27, GRACECHURCH- STREET, in the City of London, on MONDAY, the 15th day of October, 1888, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Com- pany disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the liquidator. Dated the 12th day of Sept., 1888. A. H. P. SNOW, Liquidator.

FINANCIAL DELEGATION of the GOVERN- MENT of SPAIN.—COUPONS of the FOUR PER CENT. EXTERIOR and INTERIOR PERPETUAL DEBTS of SPAIN falling due on Oct. 1 next can be presented at this office on Thurs- day, the 27th inst., and every Monday and Thursday after, be- tween the hours of ten and two, and the PAYMENT of the Ex- terior Debt will commence on 1st prox. The funds for the pay- ment of the Exterior Debt will be supplied through the Bank of Spain, in conformity with the law of May 29, 1882. Coupons of the Interior Stock will be paid by drafts against the Bank of Spain at 30 days date. The coupons of the Exterior and Interior Debts can be presented at the Delegations in Brussels and Amsterdam during the month of October only, and will be paid by orders against the Delegations of London, Paris, and the Bank of Spain at Madrid; but as regards the Interior Coupons, orders will be given against the last-named establishment only. Lists in dupli- cate will be required, and may be obtained on application at 57, New Broad-street, E.C. NICASIO E. JAURALDE, Delegate. London, Sept. 14, 1888.

CAPE of GOOD HOPE GOVERNMENT CON- SOLIDATED FOUR PER CENT. STOCK.—Notice is Hereby Given that, in order to prepare the warrants for the dividend due on the 15th October next, the BALANCES of the several ac- counts in the above-mentioned stock, inscribed at the London and Westminster Bank (Limited), will be STRUCK on the night of SATURDAY, the 29th inst., and that on and after Monday, the 1st October, the stock will be transferable ex dividend. For the London and Westminster Bank (Limited). London, September 15, 1888. W. ASTLE, Manager.

MEXICAN GOVERNMENT CONSOLIDATED EXTERNAL SIX PER CENT. LOAN, 1888.—The COUPON for three months' interest on the above scrip, due on the 1st of October next, will be PAID on that and any succeeding day, at the Counting House of Messrs. Antony Gibbs and Sons, 15, Bishops- gate-street Within, between the hours of eleven and three; Satur- days eleven and one. The coupons must be left for examination four clear days.

THE HAVANA RAILWAYS COMPANY SEVEN PER CENT. LOAN, £[illegible],000, 1886.—The HALF-YEARLY INTEREST on the above bonds, due 1st October next, will be PAID on that and any succeeding day at the counting house of Messrs. J. Henry Schröder and Co., 145, Leadenhall-street, be- tween the hours of ten and two o'clock. The coupons must be left for examination three clear days be- fore applying for payment. London, September 15th, 1888.

THE NATIONAL BANK of INDIA (Limited).—Notice is Hereby Given, that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the bank will be CLOSED from the 12th to the 22nd inst., both dates inclusive. By order of the Board, ROBT. CAMPBELL, General Manager. National Bank of India (Limited), 38a, Threadneedle-street, City, London, 11th September, 1888.

BOROUGH of ROCHDALE.—The Corporation are prepared to BORROW MONEY subject to six months at 3½ per cent., and for terms of three or five years at 3¾ per cent. They are also prepared to issue 3 per cent. [illegible] stock at the price of £100. Applications to be made to the Borough Trea- surer at the Town Hall, Rochdale. By order, ZACH. MELLOR, Town Clerk. Town Hall, Rochdale, Sept. 7, 1888.

BOROUGH of SHEFFIELD.—The Corporation of Sheffield are prepared to receive LOANS of £100 and up- wards on mortgage at 3½ per cent. per annum, subject to six months' notice. Applications to be made to BENJAMIN JONES, Borough Accountant, Bridge-street, Sheffield, July 27, 1888.

JOHN SHAW,

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JOHN SHAW.

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ST. GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL, Southwark.—Feast of the Seven Dolours, SUNDAY, Sept. 16, HIGH MASS at eleven. SERMON by Rev. C. B. TATUM. Vespers at [illegible] Stabat Mater. Sermon by Rev. A. Ross.

CATHOLIC APOSTOLIC CHURCH, Gordon- square. LITANY and SERMON at seven o'clock. Subject of sermon, Sunday, Sept. 16, "The Duty and Hope of the Church at the Time of the End, as set forth in Revelation."

SERMONS in CANDLES.—C. H. SPURGEON will deliver his popular LECTURE on TUESDAY, Sept. 18, in METROPOLITAN TABERNACLE, in aid of the Funds of Pastors' College and addresses at 6.30. Lecture at eight.—Tickets at doors.

UNION DEPOSIT BANK (Registered), No. 17, KING WILLIAM-STREET, Charing-cross, London, W.C. Established 1867. Capital, £250,000. Reserve, £120,000. ADVANCES MADE in TOWN or COUNTRY Without sureties or delay, from £10 for short or long periods. Increased £4 to £5,000. On personal security, furniture, stock-in-trade, reversions, also deeds and life policies, at 5 per cent., without mortgage expenses, from one to 15 years. Prospectus gratis, or post free on applica- tion. Personal visit preferred. All transactions strictly private. NOTICE.—Before applying elsewhere or paying fees, ask any solicitor or auctioneer throughout London and the country, know- ing this bank, and they will at once tell you that you are dealing with an old-established bona-fide registered bank. Having very large capital, can do business at a lower rate of interest than any other advance bank, and all applicants can rest assured, if they cannot get advances here, they cannot elsewhere. First letter of application immediately attended to. A gentle- man sent direct from the bank to carry out all advances. Special facilities and no charges for keeping banking accounts or clearing country cheques. Deposits of £10 and upwards received at 4 per cent. per annum, subject to 10 days' notice of withdrawal. Subject to three months' notice of withdrawal, 5 per cent. Subject to six months' notice of withdrawal, 6 per cent. Subject to 12 months' notice of withdrawal, 7 per cent. Interest paid monthly or quarterly. The bank reserves the right at all times to decline deposits. Temporary advances immediately made upon deeds and rever- sions. EDWARD JOHNS, Manager.

PERSONS ENTITLED to PROPERTY, &c., at the death of relatives, or in receipt of annuities, can sell or bor- row at 4 per cent. from the GENERAL REVERSION and LIFE INTEREST AGENCY, 60a, Watling-street, E.C. Established 1842. No fees. Immediate advances pending completion.

[illegible] Alliance Bank (Limited), the bankers of the company, will receive applications for shares [illegible] Lane, London, E.C., and at all their branches, and the Glasgow application will be similarly received by the Union Bank of Scotland (Limited).

THE UNITED KINGDOM SWITCHBACK RAIL- WAYS (Limited). Registered with limited liability under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1886. Capital £[illegible], divided into [illegible] shares of £1 each. First issue of [illegible] shares of £1 each, of which 20,[illegible] will be allotted to the vendors as fully paid-up, the remaining 55,000 shares are offered for subscription at par, payable as follows: 5s. on application, and 15s. on allotment.

Directors.

A. PICKARD, Esq., "Ferndale," Beckenham, Chairman.

Captain H. Bruce M'Carty, [illegible]

W. A. Mitchell, Esq., [illegible]

Vincent A. Applin, Esq., [illegible]

R. L. Barnes, Esq., Phœnix Chemical Works, [illegible]

J. H. Sams, Esq., 7, [illegible]

Bankers—The Alliance Bank (Limited), Bartholomew-lane, [illegible]

Brokers—Messrs. John Gibbs, [illegible] Threadneedle- street, and Stock Exchange, [illegible]

Auditors—Messrs. Turquand, Youngs, Weise, Bishop, and Clarke, 41, Coleman-street, E.C.

Solicitor—T. A. Jones, Esq., [illegible]

Engineer—A. H. Pickard, Esq., [illegible], W.C.

Secretary—[illegible]

Temporary Registered Offices—[illegible], Adelphi, [illegible], W.C.

PROSPECTUS.

This company has been formed for the purpose of acquiring as a going concern the highly successful business of Thompson's Patent Gravity Switchback Railway Company (Limited), of New York, in the United Kingdom [illegible] the Switchback Railways now working in the undermentioned places in the United Kingdom, viz.:

Site.	Number.	When opened.
The Italian Exhibition, London	2	[illegible]
The International Exhibition, Glasgow	2	[illegible]
[illegible]	1	[illegible]
Crystal Palace, London	1	[illegible]
Margate	1	[illegible]
Ramsgate Pier, Ramsgate	1	[illegible]
[illegible]	1	[illegible]
Scarborough	1	[illegible]
Plymouth	1	[illegible]
[illegible]	1	[illegible]
Hull	1	[illegible]
Great Yarmouth	1	[illegible]
[illegible]	1	[illegible]
Brighton	1	[illegible]

[illegible] The business will be taken over from the 1st September, 1888, and all liabilities will be discharged up to that date by the vendor company, which will retain all book debts. [illegible]

"41, Coleman-street, London, E.C., 5th September, 1888. "We have examined the books of the Thompson's Patent Gravity Switchback Railway Company (Limited) [illegible]" "TURQUAND, YOUNGS, WEISE, BISHOP, and CLARKE, Chartered Accountants."

It is estimated that the profits to be realised by the new com- pany during the remainder of this season will be sufficient to pay a substantial dividend before the end of the current year.

The business of the vendor company has [illegible] in Great Britain and the Continent that it is considered expedient to divide the same, and, by means of additional capital, [illegible] and develop the highly remunerative business now being carried on in the United Kingdom by the erection of a further number of 15 to 25 switchback Railways, which, it is estimated, will largely increase the earning power of the company, and, after allowing a very ample margin for working expenses, enable it to pay a divi- dend of at least 25 per cent.

It is obvious, therefore, from the figures quoted, that the shares will constitute an exceptionally lucrative investment.

The popularity of the novel and healthy form of recreation provided by Switchback Railways is now universally acknow- ledged. Although only introduced for the first time in England at the American Exhibition held last year in London, over [illegible] passengers have during the current year availed them- selves of this fascinating mode of locomotion in the United King- dom alone.

An encouraging feature in connection with the future of this form of recreation is to be found in the fact that its popularity is steadily increasing, one proof of this is that this year the per- centage of visitors to the Italian Exhibition who have availed them- selves of the switchback Railways is much larger than was the percentage of the visitors to the American Exhibition last year, who used the same railways.

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It is intended to make application for a Stock Exchange quota- tion of the company's shares, as soon as possible after allotment.

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Applications for shares should be sent with the deposit of 5s. per share to the company's bankers, or to the secretary of the United Kingdom Switchback Railways (Limited), 2, John-street, Adelphi, London.

In all cases where no allotment is made the deposit will be re- turned to the applicant in full, and where the number of shares allotted is less than the number applied for the surplus will be credited in reduction of the further amount payable on the shares allotted.

Prospectuses and forms of application for shares can be obtained at the offices of the company, or from the company's bankers, brokers, or solicitor.

London, September 15, 1888.

ISSUE of £[illegible] FOUR PER CENT. DEBENTURE STOCK at £97 per £100.

Unpaid capital of the company, being limit of borrowing powers on Debentures	£2,[illegible]
Debentures already issued	[illegible]
Borrowing margin available for Debenture Stock now offered	£2[illegible]
On 1st December next the capital and reserve fund of the company will stand as follows:	
Capital paid-up	£[illegible]
Reserve fund	[illegible]
	£1,[illegible]
Capital unpaid as above	[illegible]
Total capital and reserve fund	£4,[illegible]
Australasian investments on 31st December, 1887, as per last balance sheet	3,[illegible]
Aggregate general security against Debenture issues	£[illegible]

The List of Applications will Close on or before 20th September, 1888.

NEW ZEALAND LOAN and MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY (Limited).—Incorporated 6th April, 1865, under "The Companies Act, 1862."

Home Directors.

Emanuel Boutcher, Esq.	Falconer Larkworthy, Esq.
The Right Hon. Sir James Fer- gusson, Bart., G.C.S.I., K.C.M.G., M.P.	Right Hon. A. J. Mundella, M.P.
	Thomas Russell, Esq., C.M.G.
	Sir Edward W. Stafford, K.C.M.G.

Bankers—Union Bank of London (Limited); the Clydesdale Bank (Limited).

Offices—1, Queen Victoria-street, Mansion House, London, E.C.

PROSPECTUS.

The Directors offer for subscription £250,000 £4 per Cent. Deben- ture Stock, at £97 per £100 stock, payable as follows:

On application £5 per £100

On 31st October, 1888 [illegible]

On 30th November, 1888 [illegible]

[illegible]

MONEY.—No fees. From £10 to £5,000 on simple [illegible]

TO INVENTORS.—PATENTS for INVENTIONS [illegible]

ORIGINAL DEFECTIVE

THE MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL. The WINTER SESSION, 1888-9, will commence on MONDAY, Oct. 1, when the prizes will be distributed by Sir Arthur T. Watson, Bart., Q.C., and an Introductory Address will be delivered by W. Fowler, Esq., M.A., F.C.S. Two Entrance Scholarships (value £100 and £60) will be open for competition on Sept. 27 and 28. The school buildings have been recently enlarged, comprising new theatre, library, physiological laboratory, Materia Medica museum, students' rooms, and luncheon room. Besides scholarships and prizes, there are annually 16 resident appointments open to students. The composition fee for the whole medical curriculum is £100. Special provision is made for dental students and for candidates for the preliminary scientific (M.B.) examination. The resident college adjoins the hospital, and provides accommodation for students and a resident warden. Prospectuses and all particulars may be obtained from the Resident Medical Officer at the hospital, or from A. PEARCE GOULD, Dean.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE SCHOOL.—MICHAELMAS TERM commences SEPT. 17. The school is carried on in strict accordance with the principles laid down by the founders of University College, and is organised as a first grade modern school with a classical department. For prospectus apply to the Office, Gower-street, W.C. J. M. HORSBURGH, M.A., Secretary.

LONDON ORGAN SCHOOL and COLLEGE of MUSIC. Est. 1865, by the Rev. Scotson Clark, Mus. B. Patron—His Grace the Archbishop of CANTERBURY. Principal—Henry Clark. Among the professors receiving their pupils at this college are the following: [illegible]. Pupils can enter at any time, but they will have choice of hours during this month.—Prospectus on application to the Secretary, 3, Princes-street, Cavendish-square (close to [illegible]).

BONALLY VOCAL and INSTRUMENTAL COLLEGE, 7, Cambridge-gardens, North Kensington. [illegible] NEXT TERM commences SEPT. 17. Directors, Madame Bonally [illegible], the [illegible] and Harrison Company, Covent-garden.

ANGLO-FRENCH and GERMAN COLLEGE INTERNATIONAL BOARDING SCHOOL, Fortune Park, Finchley-road, London, N.W. Principals—Messrs. HAYSMAN and SON. See full advertisement at bottom of page 3 of this paper.

EDUCATION in FRANCE, and GERMANY, PARIS, BOULOGNE (at the seaside), HANOVER, &c. Write to SECRETARY of ANGLO-FRENCH COLLEGE, Finchley-road, LONDON, for a Prospectus. Or see full Advertisement at bottom of Page 3 of this paper.

POLYTECHNIC INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL for BOYS, 309, Regent-street, W. Head Master, V. Baker Smith, B.A., B.Sc. 1. Professional Division. 2. Commercial Division. 3. Civil Service Preparatory. 4. Preparatory Division for Boys under 13 years of age. 5. Technical Division for Boys over 13 years of age, preparatory for industrial pursuits. Prospectus and full particulars on application to R. Mitchell, Secretary.

MATRICULATION.—MEDICAL and PHARMACEUTICAL PRELIMS. Day and Evening, by V. BUTLER SMITH, B.A., B.Sc., assisted by able assistants.—Secretary, the Polytechnic, 309, Regent-street, W.

ADDLESTONE COLLEGE, Surrey (17 miles from London, S.W.R.), stands in its own grounds of six acres. Teaching highly successful. Every home comfort. BOYS from abroad receive special care and attention. Cricket, football, lawn tennis, gymnasium, &c.—For prospectus and full particulars address The Principal.

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AT WORTHING COLLEGIATE SCHOOL, Grafton House, Worthing, PUPILS receive a sound EDUCATION, and are prepared for the various exams. Premises beautifully situated in their own grounds adjacent to the sea. Separate beds. Sea bathing, cricket, drill. Modern languages, shorthand, technical class, class singing. Terms moderate.—Address Head Master.

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HABERDASHERS' HOXTON SCHOOLS.—40 ENTRANCE EXHIBITIONS will be offered for COMPETITION, in October next, for BOYS and GIRLS, from 10 to 14 years of age. They will entitle the holders to their education at the schools for one or two years, with use of books and supply of stationery, free of charge. About two-thirds of them will be assignable to children who have been educated at public elementary schools, and the remainder will be open to general competition. The examination will be held at the schools on Saturday, Oct. 27, 1888, commencing at 9.30 a.m.—Particulars and forms of application may be obtained before Oct. 12, from the Clerk to the Governors, Haberdashers' Schools, Pitfield-street, Hoxton, N.

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MONEY MARKET.

FRIDAY EVENING.

In anticipation of a further large efflux of gold from the Bank for South America discount rates are firm, though no fresh change has been reported. Choice three months' bills were taken at 3½, ⅝ per cent., and the same charge was made for American drafts of sixty days. Six months' were quoted 3¼, and four months' 3½, ⅝. The withdrawal of notes from the Bank of England for Russia again formed the chief topic of conversation, and the feeling of surprise increased. This money has been lodged here for some time, it is understood, at 3 per cent. interest, but it is now converted into a security which yields nothing, while English Government Treasury paper, returning 2¾ or rather more, could have been readily bought. Late in the day it was rumoured that more notes will soon be sent to St. Petersburg, but this statement met with no confirmation, and was discredited. Short loans were in fair request at 3, ¼ per cent. A small amount of gold was taken to the Bank from France, and the influx is expected to continue upon a moderate scale. The total now required for the River Plate is stated to be about £550,000, but nearly £280,000 is due from Australia on Sept. 19, and, being in coin, will be retained here. At Paris the outside rate of discount is 3¼ per cent., or ¼ below the increased minimum of the Bank of France.

Tenders for Treasury Bills to the amount of £1,500,000 will be received at the Bank of England on Sept. 24, at one o'clock. The bills will be dated Sept. 28, and will be payable at three or six months after date, at the option of the persons tendering. A similar amount falls due against this issue.

Business in the stock markets has been less active and the tendency flatter. Dearer money has checked speculative operations for a rise in securities with a fixed rate of interest, and the dealings to-day consisted mostly of sales by recent buyers. With a bankers' charge for advances of 2 to 3 per cent., many stocks yielding 4 to 5 are bought and temporarily pawned, but this margin of interest has now virtually disappeared. Prices were further affected by rumours of an impending outflow of bullion and by the prospect of still higher discount terms. Consols fell ⅛ per cent., and Indian Three and Three and a Half per Cents. ⅛ each; but Rupee Paper experienced a fresh rise. Except Russian of 1873, Turkish Group One, and United States Four and a Half and Four per Cents., which were slightly better, the changes in foreign bonds were all downward. Argentine Cedulas, Greek, Portuguese, Turkish, and Uruguayan were principally offered.

Some of the English railways gave way, the chief alteration—2 per cent.—being in Taff Vale. Hull and Barnsley receded 1¼, but the decline in the leading stocks did not exceed ¼ to ½. The Scotch lines and a few others exhibited firmness. American railroads opened better, but Milwaukees were subsequently pressed for sale down to 66¼, and this movement adversely influenced other securities, although a better tone was apparent late in the street. The final prices showed a fall of 1½ in Milwaukees and ⅛ to ½ in some of the other shares, while New York Centrals, Atlantic Firsts, Denvers, Eries, Central Pacifics, and Northern Pacifics were higher. Grand Trunks were good in the morning, and closed slightly worse than yesterday. Canadian Pacifics relapsed nearly ⅜. Mexican (Vera Cruz) stocks declined a little, and Central bonds improved. An advance occurred in cable and banking shares, the latter being purchased on the rise in the value of money and expected better dividends for the current half-year. A few of the miscellaneous were strong, and Canada Land rose 2½. A large amount of business was done in South African Exploration, which, after touching 18½, left off at 17½, or ⅛ up on the day. Peninsular and Oriental were rather flat on the news that the steamer Nepaul has gone ashore near Marseilles. Diamond mines showed depression, and De Beers, Kimberley Central, and Jagersfontein fell about ½ each. As regards the former company, a legal decision on the question of an amalgamation with the Kimberley Central is expected early in October. Copper securities were neglected and dull.

About £24,000 in gold was purchased by the Bank.

The Arcadia is expected at Plymouth on Sept. 19 with 277,000 sovereigns from Melbourne, and the Mirzapore on the 23rd idem with £52,920, chiefly in sovereigns and eagles from Hong Kong.

Bar silver continued in request for Russia, and the price at which dealings were reported yesterday, namely 44d per ounce, was maintained. At Amsterdam the quotation of this metal has risen from 74 to 75 guilders per kilo fine. Mexican dollars advanced ⅛d, to 43½d. Bombay Transfers improved 1-16d, to 1s 4⅝d; Calcutta ⅛d, to 1s 4 1-16d; and bills in Shanghai ⅛d, to 4s 3⅛d. A rise of ⅛ occurred in Four and a Half per Cent. Rupee Paper, to 73⅞, ⅜; but the Four per Cents. remained at 69¼, ⅜.

Sales preponderated on the Continental Bourses, and Russian, Turkish, Italian, and Deutsche Bank declined. Spanish, Lombardo, and Mexican, however, improved. The rouble was 1¼ lower. In Paris Suez Canal, Rio Tinto, Greek, Ottoman Bank, Portuguese, Egyptian Unified, and Hungarian receded. The Three per Cent. Rentes, at 84f 10c, were 12½c down, and the Four and a Half per Cents., at 105f 77½c, 2½c worse. Exchange on London (cheques) fell 1c, to 25f 41½c.

Under the title of the United Kingdom Switchback Railways (Limited) a new undertaking has been formed, with a capital of £60,000, to take over and carry on the business in the United Kingdom of "Thompson's Patent Gravity Switchback Railway Company (Limited)." The net profits during the season 1888 up to Sept. 1, including those of the Italian Exhibition and the International Exhibition at Glasgow, are stated at £7,365, in spite of the unfavourable weather. Applications are now invited for 35,000 shares of £1 each.

Subscriptions will be received for an issue, at the price of 97 per cent., of £250,000 Four per Cent. Debenture Stock of the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company (Limited). Five per cent. is payable on application, and the final instalment on Nov. 30, but on Oct. 31 payments can be made in full under discount at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum. The stock forms part of an authorised issue of £3,135,815, and will be subject to redemption at any time after twenty years, on six months' previous notice, at the price of £110 per £100. During the past thirteen years the company has paid a dividend and bonus equal to 15 per cent. per annum. The list will close on or before Sept. 20.

A prospectus has been issued of the Cortez Mines (Limited), a new company launched to take over and work as a going concern silver mines in Nevada, U.S. The capital is £300,000, of which £290,000, entirely in £1 shares, is to be paid for the property, leaving 10,000, which are now offered for public subscription. The list will close on Monday, Sept. 17, at twelve o'clock.

Messrs. Alexander Paton and Co., manufacturers and warehousemen, of Glasgow, have stopped payment. The firm has been established about fifty years, and their difficulties are ascribed to heavy losses.

The total receipts of the South-Eastern Railway for the four weeks ended Aug. 25 amounted to £217,879, and the expenses to £85,805, showing a net revenue of £132,073. From July 1 to date the receipts were £398,317, and the expenses £170,457, or a net income of £227,860.

A general court of the proprietors of the Bank of England will be held on Sept. 20, to declare a dividend.

We are officially informed that Mr. Charles Searle has been declared a defaulter upon the Stock Exchange.

After providing for interest upon the debenture stock and all the extension capital, the net revenue of the Buenos Ayres Great Southern Railway Company (Limited), for the financial year ended June 30 last shows a balance of £336,566 7s 5d. From this the Board propose to add £56,834 12s 9d to the reserve fund, raising it to £400,000; £16,145 2s to the maintenance and casualty fund, increasing it to £70,000; and to pay a dividend on the ordinary stock at the usual rate of 8 per ct. per annum, with a bonus of 1 per ct., making with the interim distribution 10 per ct. per annum free of income-tax. The sum left to be carried forward is £21,537 12s 1d subject to the income-tax charges of the year.

The Buenos Ayres and Rosario Railway Company (Limited) notify the closing of the transfer books of their Seven per Ct. Preference, Sunchales Extension, and Tucuman shares, from Sept. 19 to 27 inclusive, preparatory to the payment of dividend at 3½ per ct. for the half-year ended June 30 last on the two former, and interest to same date on the latter. Warrants will be posted on Oct. 1.

Coupons for three months' interest on the scrip of the Mexican Government Consolidated External Six per Ct. Loan (1888), due Oct. 1, will be paid on and after that date at the counting-house of Messrs. Antony Gibbs and Sons, Bishopsgate-street Within, E.C.

The directors of the Coquimbo Railway Company recommend the payment of a dividend for the half-year ending June 30 last at the rate of 5½ per ct., carrying forward $3,151. The proposed dividend of the Carrizal and Cerro Blanco Railway Company for the same period is at the rate of 3½ per ct., carrying forward $4,100.

It is intimated by the London and Westminster Bank (Limited) that, in order to prepare the dividend due on Oct. 15, the balances of the several accounts in the Cape of Good Hope Government Consolidated Four per Ct. Stock will be struck on the night of Sept. 29. On and after Oct. 1 the stock will be transferable ex dividend.

A dividend at the rate of 10 per ct. per annum for the six months ending June last has been declared by Robson and Sons (Limited), payable on Sept. 15.

It is announced that the half-yearly interest, due Oct. 1 next, on the Seven per Ct. Loan for £345,000 (1883) of the Havana Railways Company, will be paid on and after that date at the counting house of Messrs. J. Henry Schröder and Co.

For the purpose of preparing the half-yearly interest warrants, the Central Uruguay Railway Company of Monte Video notify the closing of the register of their Permanent Six per Ct. Debenture Stock from Sept. 20 to 29.

At a meeting to-day the directors of the Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company elected Mr. T. R. Watt, the managing director, chairman of the company, in succession to Colonel James Holland, who has retired owing to his advanced age. A similar notification has been made respecting the Indian Midland Railway Company.

Coupons due Oct. 1 upon the debenture bonds of the Home and Foreign Investment and Agency Company (Limited) will be paid on and after that date at the banking house of Messrs. Barclay, Bevan, Tritton, Ransom, Bouverie, and Co., Lombard-street, E.C.

It is notified that the Council of Administration of the Ottoman Railway from Smyrna to Aidin will be prepared to pay, on and after Oct. 1 next, the interest then due upon the Five per Ct. Debentures (1888) of the company.

Letters of allotment in the Leadville Mines (Limited) were posted on Thursday evening.

The Anglo-Argentine Tramway receipts for the week ended July 28, amounted to £3,911, against £3,216 last year, showing an increase of £695.

The following changes occurred in Public Securities:

British Funds.—Three per Ct. Consols and ditto (Goschens) for the account fell ⅛ per ct. each. British Two and a Half per Cts., ⅛; India Three per Cts., ditto Three and a Half per Cts., and Nottingham Three per Cts., ⅛ each; and Exchequer Bills (March and June), 1s each; but Bank of England Stock rose ½. Consols for money closed at 100⅛, ¼; ditto Two and Three-quarters per Cts. (Goschens) for money, 97⅞, 98 ex div.; ditto for the account (Oct. 3), 98, ⅛ ex div.; Three per Cts. Reduced for money, 99½, 100 ex div.; Two and a Half per Cts. for money, 94½, ¾ ex div.; ditto for the account (Oct. 3), 94⅝, ⅞ ex div.; Exchequer Bills (March), 7s to 2s dis.; ditto (June), 1s to 3s dis.; Egyptian Guaranteed Three per Ct. Loan, 100, ½ ex div.; India Four per Cts., 99¼, ½ ex div.; ditto Three and a Half per Cts., 104¼, ½ ex div.; ditto Three per Cts., 96¼, ½; Bank of England Stock, 325, 328; Metropolitan Board of Works Three and a Half per Cts., 111½, 112 ex div.; ditto Three per Ct. Stock, 102, 103; Corporation of London Three and a Half per Cts., 1882-92, 101, 102; ditto, 1893-98, 101, 103; ditto Birmingham Three and a Half per Cts., 110½, ¾; ditto Liverpool Three and a Half per Cts., 110½, ¾ ex div.; and Nottingham Three per Cts., 96½, 97½.

Colonial Government Securities.—Victoria Four per Cts., 1908, rose ½, to 111½, 112½, and ditto Inscribed, 1907, ½, to 110½, 111½.

Foreign Government Bonds.—Uruguay Unified, ditto of 1888, and Greek of 1881 and 1884 fell ⅛ each; ditto Monopoly, ⅛; ditto of 1888, Argentine Cedulas "A," Buenos Ayres Cedulas "I" and "J," and Turkish of 1871, ⅛ each; ditto Group Four, ⅛; ditto Group Three, 1-16; Egyptian of 1888, ⅛; ditto Unified, French Three per Ct. Rentes, Hungarian Four per Cts. of 1881, Italian of 1861, and Spanish Four per Cts., ⅛ each; and Peruvian Six per Cts., 1-16; but United States Four per Cts. rose ⅛; ditto Four and a Half per Cts., ⅛; Turkish Group One, ⅛; and Russian of 1873, 1-16. In the following table will be found a comparison between yesterday's and to-day's closing prices; where no price is inserted yesterday's quotations remain unchanged:

STOCKS.	Closing Prices. Yesterday.	Closing Prices. To-day.	Business Done.
Argentine 6 p.c. 1868	102 104	...	—
6 p.c. 1871	100 102	...	101¼
6 p.c. 1881	104 106	...	101¼
5 p.c. 1884	96½ 96½	...	96¼
5 p.c. 1886	96½ 99½	...	99 ¼ 8¾ 9 8¾
5 p.c. N. C. Rail Ex.	97 98	...	97¾
6 p.c. Treas. Conv.	98 99	...	...
6 p.c. (Hard Dol.)	70½ 71½	...	...
7 p.c. Cedulas "A"	63 63½	62, 63	...
Austrian Silver 5 p.c.	67 69	...	...
Paper 5 p.c.	67 69	...	...
Gold 4 p.c.	91 93	...	...
Brazilian 5 p.c. 1865	100 102	...	101 ¼ ½
4½ p.c. 1883	97 98	...	96¼ 5
5 p.c. 1886	101 103	...	102⅛
4½ p.c. 1879	98 100	...	...
4½ p.c. 1888 all pd.	96½ 97½	...	97¼
Buenos Ayres 6 p.c. 1882—1886	101 103	...	102¼ 2 ¼ ⅜
6 p.c. 1883	102 104	...	103½ 2½ ¾
Cedulas 8 p.c. "I"	64½ 65½	64¾ 64⅞	...
Ditto "J"	62½ 63½	62½ 62¾	...
Chilian 4½ p.c. 1886	100 102	...	101 ½
4½ p.c. 1887	100 102	...	101¼ 1
Chinese 7 p.c. "A"	107 110	...	107½ 8½
7 p.c. "B"	108 110	...	...
6 p.c. March, 1895	108 111	...	110
6 p.c. June, 1895	106 109	...	...
Columbian 4½ p.c.	35 35	...	35 4¾ 5⅛ 4½ ⅝
Costa Rica 5 p.c. "A"	92 93	...	92½
Ditto 5 p.c. "B"	91 91½	...	91 ¼ ½ 1 ¼
Ecuador 1 p.c.	23 24	...	23½ ¼ ⅜ ½
Egyptian 5 p.c. Pref.	102½ 102¾	...	102½ ⅜ ½
4 p.c. Unified	84¾ 84⅞	84¾ 84⅞	84⅝ ¾ ⅝ ¾
4 p.c. Daira Sanieh	79 79½	...	79¼
5 p.c. State Dom.	101½ 101⅞	...	...
4½ p.c. 1888	95½ 96	95¾ 95⅞	...
Entre Rios 6 p.c. 1886	100 101	...	100½
6 p.c. C. Ry. Mort.	103½ 104½	...	103½
6 p.c. Exten Mort.	99 100	...	100 99½ ⅞ 100¼
French 3 p.c. Rentes	82¾ 83¼	82¾ 83	...
4½ p.c. Rentes	103⅞ 104⅛	...	104
Greek 5 p.c. 1881	78½ 79	78⅞ 78⅞	79 8¾ 9 8¾ ⅞
5 p.c. 1884	78½ 79	78¾ 78⅞	79 ⅞ ¾ ⅞
4 p.c. Monopoly	72½ 73	72½ 72⅞	73 ⅛ 2⅞
6 p.c. 1888 Scrip	74 75	73¾ 74¼	...
Guatemala 4 p.c.	56 58	...	57
Hungarian 5 p.c. 1871	100 102	...	...
5 p.c. 1873	99 101	...	...
4 p.c. 1881	82¾ 83¼	82⅞ 83	82⅞ 3⅛
Italian 5 p.c. 1861	95¾ 96	95⅝ 95⅞	95⅞ 6⅛ 5⅞ 6⅛
Japanese 7 p.c.	110 113	...	111 13 11¼
Mexican 3 p.c. Conv.	34 34½	...	34⅝ ¾ ⅞
6 p.c. 1888, all paid	93½ 93¾	...	93⅝ ¾ ⅞ ¾
Paraguay 1886	38 40	...	38½ ¾
Peruvian 6 p.c. 1870	16¼ 16¾	16⅛ 16⅜	16 ⅛
5 p.c. 1872	14¼ 14½	...	14⅛ ⅜
Portuguese 3 p.c.	64 64½	64 64⅛	64⅛ ¼ 4
Prussian 4 p.c.	104 106	...	...
Russian 5 p.c. 1822	94 96	...	...
5 p.c. 1862	99 101	...	100
5 p.c. 1864	99 101	...	...
4 p.c. Nicolai Rail.	85 87	...	...
5 p.c. 1870 (Railway Loans)	98 100	...	...
5 p.c. 1871 (Railway Loans)	94 96	...	95
5 p.c. 1872 (Railway Loans)	96 98	...	95¾
5 p.c. 1873 (Railway Loans)	98 98¼	98¼ 98½	98 ¼ ⅜ ⅛
4½ p.c. 1875	[illegible]	...	...
Santa Fé 6 p.c. 1883	99 101	...	100
5 p.c. N. C. Ry. Mort.	102 103	...	...
5 p.c. Ex. Mort.	98 99	...	...
5 p.c. W. C. Ry. Mrt.	97½ 98½	...	...
5 p.c. Ry. Ext. Mrt.	[illegible]	...	[illegible]
Spanish 2 p.c.	48½ 49	...	48
4 p.c.	74 74½	74¼ 74½	74¼ 4
Quicksilver 5 p.c.	103 105	...	...
Turkish 5 p.c. 1854	100 102	...	101½
5 p.c. Priority	81 83	...	...
4 p.c. 1858, 4 p.c. 1862 Group 1	23 24½	24¼ 24½	...
4 p.c. Treas. Group 2	15⅛ 15⅜	...	...
6 p.c. 1865, 6 p.c. 1869, 6 p.c. 1873 Group 3	14⅛ 14½	14¼ 14⅜	14¼
5 p.c. 1865, Group 4	14¼ 14½	14¼ 14⅜	...
5 p.c. (Defence)	97½ 97¾	...	97½ ¾
4½ p.c. 1871	86 88	86 86½	86½ ⅝
U.S. Funded 4½ p.c.	109 109½	109 109½	...
4 p.c.	131 131	131¼ 131½	...
Virginia Funded	4 4½	...	...
Uruguay Unif. 5 p.c.	76 76½	75⅝ 75⅞	75½ ¾ 6 5½ ⅞ ¾
6 p.c. 1888, all paid	89 89½	89 89½	90 ¼ 89⅞ ½
Venezuela 3 p.c.	51½ 52½	...	52 ¼ ⅜ ½ ¼

English Railway Original and "A" Stocks.—Taff Vale fell 2; Hull and Barnsley, 1¼; East London, Great Western, Brighton "A," and Metropolitan Surplus Lands, ½ each; Chatham Ordinary, ¼; Midland, ¼; and Great Eastern, North-Western, North-Eastern, and South-Eastern "A," ¼ each; but Edinburgh and Glasgow and Glasgow and South-Western rose 1 each; Great Northern Ordinary, Lancashire and Yorkshire, North British, and North Staffordshire, ½ each; and Sheffield "A," ⅛. Annexed are the latest prices: Caledonian, 112½, 113; East London, 9, 10; Glasgow and South-Western, 105, 107; Great Eastern, 70, ¼; Great Northern, 118, 119; ditto "A," 104½, 105; Great Western, 146½, 147; Hull and Barnsley, 30½, 31½; Lancashire and Yorkshire, 119, 120; London and Brighton, 140, 142; ditto "A," 126, ½; London, Chatham, and Dover, 23½, ¾; ditto Preference, 102½, ½; London and North-Western, 169½, 170; London and South-Western, 137, 138; London, Tilbury, and Southend, 121, 123; Manchester and Sheffield, 70, 72; ditto "A," 34, [illegible]; Metropolitan Consolidated, 75, [illegible]; ditto Surplus Lands, 70½, 71½; ditto District, 34, [illegible]; Midland, 135, [illegible]; North London, 190, 195; North-Eastern, 169, ½; North British, 120, ½ ex new stock; ditto Edinburgh and Glasgow Ordinary, 46½, 47½; North Staffordshire, 112, ¼; South-Eastern, 132, 134; ditto "A," 104, ¼; and Taff Vale, 218, 223.

Home Railway Debenture Stocks.—East London Three and a Half per Cts. rose 1, to 104, 107.

Guaranteed Shares and Stocks.—Metropolitan District Perpetual rose 1, to 99, 101; but London and South-Western fell 1, to 124, 126.

Preference Shares and Stocks.—Sheffield 1874 rose 1, to 140, 142; Metropolitan, 1882, 2, to 114, 116; and ditto District, 1, to 66, 69.

Foreign and Colonial Railways.—Grand Trunk Ordinary fell 1-16, to 10 13-16, 15-16; ditto Guaranteed, ⅛, to 69½, ¾; ditto First Preference, ¼, to 64¼, ½; ditto Second, ⅛, to 45¼, ½; ditto Third, ⅛, to 25⅛, ⅜; Canadian Pacific, ⅜, to 58⅛, ⅜; Mexican Ordinary, ¼, to 47½, ¾; ditto First Preference, ¼, to 119, ½; ditto Second, ¼, to 79½, ¾; Mexican National "A," ⅛, to 6, ½; Buenos Ayres and Rosario Tucuman Extension, ½, to 10½, 11; and Porto Alegre Debentures, ½, to 99, 102; but Mexican Central Bonds rose ½, to 66½, ¾; Great Western of Brazil Extension Debentures, 1, to 114, 117; Ottoman, ¼, to 16½, ¾; Buenos Ayres Northern Ordinary, 2, to 174, 179; and Costa Rica, ⅛, to 5⅛, ⅜.

Foreign Railway Obligations.—Ottoman Debentures, 1888 (£10 paid), rose 1, to 4½, 4¾; and Western of Buenos Ayres Six per Cts., 1, to 114, 115; but South Austrian fell ⅛, to 11⅛, 12⅛; ditto, 1871, ⅛, to 14, ¼; and Zafra and Huelva Bonds, ⅛, to 11, [illegible].

American Railroads.—Central Pacific rose ⅛, to 36⅛, 37⅛; Denver, ⅛, to 20⅛, ⅜; ditto Preference, 1, to 52⅛, 53⅛; Eries, ⅛, to 29⅛, ⅜; ditto Second Mortgage, ⅛, to 103, ¼; Louisville, ⅛, to 61, ½; Missouri and Kansas, ⅛, to 13⅛, ⅜; New York Central, ⅛, to 111⅛, 112⅛; New York, Pennsylvania, and Ohio First Mortgage, ⅛, to 40⅛, ⅜; Norfolk and Western Preferred, ⅛, to 58⅛, ⅜; Northern Pacific Preferred, ⅛, to 63⅛, ⅜; Ontario, ⅛, to 17⅛, ⅜; Pennsylvania, ⅛, to 57, ⅛; Baltimore and Ohio Gold Bonds, 1, to 110, 112; and Wabash Preferred, ⅛, to 27⅛, 28; but Milwaukee fell 1⅛, to 66⅛, ⅜; Illinois, ⅛, to 121⅛, 122⅛; Denver First Mortgage, ½, to 80⅛, ⅜; Reading, ⅛, to 26⅛, ⅜; ditto Deferred, ⅛, to 9⅛, 11; Union Pacific, ⅛, to 61⅛, ⅜; Northern Pacific Third Mortgage, 1, to 101, 103; and St. Louis and Arkansas First Mortgage, 1, to 100, 102.

Telegraphs.—Anglo-American Ordinary rose 1, to 43⅛, ½; ditto Preferred, ⅛, to 72⅛, ½; ditto Deferred, ⅛, to 15⅛, ⅜; Direct United States, ⅛, to 9⅞, 10⅛; Eastern, ⅛, to 1⅛, ⅜; Cuba, ⅛, to 13⅛, 14⅛; West Coast of America, ⅛, to 7⅛, 8⅛; ditto Debentures, 2, to 114, 119; Western and Brazilian Deferred, ⅛, to 5⅛, ⅜; and Western Union First Mortgage, 2, to 120, 125.

Banks.—Victoria rose 1, to 44, 46; Africa, ⅛, to 8⅛, 9⅛; New Zealand, ⅛, to 13⅛, 14⅛; Chartered of India, ⅛, to 26, 27; Chartered Mercantile of India, ⅛, to 19⅛, 20⅛; Hong Kong, ⅛, to 51, 52; London and River Plate, ⅛, to 24⅛, 25⅛; and National of New Zealand, ⅛, to 1⅛, ⅜. Imperial Ottoman closed at 11½, ⅝.

Commercial, Industrial, &c.—Primitiva Nitrate rose 1⅛, to 18½, 19⅛ ex div.; Price's Patent Candle, ½, to 21, 22; City Offices, ½, to 7⅛, 8⅛; Guinness's Preference, 2, to 152, 156; and Threlfall's Brewery Preference, ½, to 11⅛, 12⅛; but Allsopp's Ordinary fell 1, to 81, 84; ditto Preference, 1, to 111, 114; ditto Debentures, 1, to 106, 108; Lion Brewery (£6 paid), ⅛, to 10⅛, 11⅛; and Bell's Asbestos, ⅛, to 10⅛, ⅜.

Financial, Land, and Investment.—Canada Land rose 2½, to 68, 72; Central Argentine Land, ⅛, to 4⅛, ⅜; Union Mortgage of Australia Debentures, ⅛, to 110, 111; London and South African Exploration, ⅛, to 17⅛, ⅜; and Submarine Cables Trust, 2, to 102, 107; but Queensland Investment Debentures fell 1, to 98, 99, and General Assets Purchase, ⅛, to 4⅛, 5⅛.

Shipping.—Union of New Zealand rose ½, to 12½, 13½.

Docks and Canals.—East and West India fell 1, to 24, 26; ditto Debentures, 1, to 82, 85; and Suez, ⅛, to 87⅛, ⅜.

Tramways.—London Street rose ¼, to 12, 13; Anglo-Argentine Debentures, 2, to 125, 130; City of Buenos Ayres, ⅛, to 11⅛, 12; and ditto Debentures, 5, to 135, 145; but Bordeaux fell ⅛, to 7⅛, 8⅛; Calais, ⅛, to 1, 2; Liverpool, ⅛, to 7⅛, 8; and Wolverhampton, ⅛, to 4, ⅛.

Mines.—Rio Tinto fell ⅛, to 22 9-16, 11-16; Mason and Barry, 1-16, to 10 15-16, 11 1-16; Kimberley Central, ⅛, to 35, ⅛; De Beers, ⅛, to 31, ⅛; Griqualand West, ⅛, to 5 1-16, 3-16; Jagersfontein, ⅛, to 12⅛, ⅜; Tincroft, ⅛, to 11, 12; Cape Copper, 1-16, to 4 13-16, 15-16; Namaqua, ⅛, to 2⅛, 3; Tharsis, ⅛, to 6 3-16, 5-16; Indian Consolidated, 6d, to 18s 6d, 8s 6d; Carlisle, 6d, to 13s 6d, 14s 6d; Dickens Custer, 6d, to 7s, 8s; Newbery-Vautin, ⅛, to 2⅛, ⅜ prem.; and Palmarejo, 6d, to 7s 6d, 8s 6d; but Ooregum rose 1-16, to 1⅛, ⅜; Tocopilla, 1-16, to 3-16, 5-16; and Bultfontein, ⅛, to 4⅛, ⅜.

Annexed are quotations from the Continent, received through Reuter's Telegraph Company:

PARIS, Sept. 14.—Three per Ct. Perpetual Rentes, money, 84 06; Four and a Half per Ct. Rentes, ditto, 105 [illegible]; Three per Ct. Perpetual Rentes, account, 84 [illegible]; Four and a Half per Ct. Rentes, ditto, 105 77½; Five per Ct. Italian, ditto, 97 45; Credit Foncier Shares, ditto, [illegible]; Ottoman Bank Shares, ditto, [illegible]; Suez Canal Shares, ditto, [illegible]; Panama Canal Shares, ditto, 268 75; Rio Tinto Shares, ditto, 573 75; Lombardo Railway Shares, 231 25; Egyptian Unified, ditto, 426 75; Turkish Group IV., ditto, 15 15; Four per Ct. Spanish, ditto, 7[illegible]; Five per Ct. Russians, 1877, ditto, [illegible]; Four per Ct. Hungarian Gold Rente, money, 84; Three per Ct. Portuguese, 64 [illegible]; Five per Ct. Greek, 1881, 4[illegible]; Cheques on London, 25 41½.

BERLIN, Sept. 14.—Four per Ct. Prussian Consols, 107 40; Three and a Half per Ct. ditto ditto, 104 40; Four per Ct. Egyptian Unified, 84 90; Five per Ct. Russian, 1871, 97 40; Four per Ct. Spanish, 74 70; Turkish Group IV., 15 20; Five per Ct. Italian Rente, 97 30; Four per Ct. Hungarian Gold Rente, 84; Four per Ct. Austrian ditto ditto, [illegible]; Six per Ct. Mexican, 1888, 93 60; Austrian Credit Shares, 164 [illegible]; Deutsche Bank Shares, 172; Lombardo-Venetian Railway Shares, 4[illegible] 40; Private discount, 2¾; Exchange on London, eight days' sight, 20 43; ditto ditto, three months, 20 29[illegible]; ditto Paris, eight days' sight, 80 [illegible]; ditto Belgium, two months, [illegible]; ditto Amsterdam, two months, 168 40; ditto ditto, eight days' sight, 168 [illegible]; ditto Vienna, two months, 168 [illegible]; ditto St. Petersburg, three months, 208 75; Russian Paper Roubles, money, 211 75; Russian Paper Roubles, September account, 210 [illegible].

VIENNA, Sept. 14.—Four per Ct. Gold Rente, 110 70; Five per Ct. Silver ditto, 8[illegible] 40; Five per Ct. Paper ditto, 81 [illegible]; Four per Ct. Hungarian Gold Rente, 101 [illegible]; Lombardo-Venetian Railway, [illegible]; Lemberg-Czernowitz Railway, [illegible]; Anglo-Austrian Bank, 115; Creditanstalt, 312; Exchange on London, sight, 122 10; Sovereigns, 12 18.

SPECIAL MARKET REPORTS—FRIDAY.

LONDON CORN EXCHANGE.—The continued fine weather has checked business at Mark-lane, and caused buyers to hold aloof. The tendency has become rather easier in consequence, but no actual decline can be reported. Fresh supplies of English produce were very moderate, and of foreign about the average. Wheat, both English and foreign, changed hands quietly, and prices had a weak tendency, but were not actually lower. Flour was quiet and unaltered. In barley a small business was done at late rates for both malting and grinding. Oats sold slowly at previous currencies. Maize was quiet, without change. Beans and peas sold on former terms. The following shows the quantity of British corn and grain disposed of at Mark-lane during the week ending Sept. 11: Wheat, 526 [illegible] quarters; average price, 38s 6d. Barley, 147; average price, 30s 5d. Oats, 1,154; average price, 19s 11d. Arrivals:

	Wheat	Barly	Malt	Oats	Maize	Beans	Peas	Flour
English & Scotch	150	—	1,80[illegible]	—	—	—	—	—
Irish	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign	47819	3640	—	44165	16680	3870	3140	41710 sks [illegible]

BOROUGH AND SPITALFIELDS.—There was a fair supply of potatoes on sale. The trade was slack, at the subjoined rates: Magnum Bonums, [illegible]; Regents, 50s to 60s; Kidneys, 60s to 80s; Hebrons, [illegible] per ton.

HOPS.—Messrs. W. H. and H. Le May report: "From a most careful personal survey of the plantations in England, we estimate the crop has gone on the poles at from £100,000 to £120,000 old duty, but to estimate the crop that will be picked it is impossible to do so, as we find during the last few days mould, both red and white, running very fast, and a very great increase of lice in many gardens which had been the quite clean until a few days ago; so what the final result will be we cannot say. That the crop will not exceed our estimate of £100,000 to £120,000 old duty you may rely upon, and of this quantity not more than one-fourth will be really fine. In our opinion the merchants do not at the present moment realise the serious state in which the crop is, and we feel sure that when they do realise the true state of affairs there will be a very sharp demand for all good clean lots at increased prices."

METROPOLITAN MEAT.—A moderate supply was on offer. The trade was dull, at the annexed prices. Per 8lb by the carcase:

Inferior beef	2s 4d to 3s 0d	Inferior mutton	2s 8d to 3s 4d
Middling ditto	3s 0d 3s 8d	Middling ditto	4s 0d 4s 8d
Prime large ditto	4s 0d 4s 4d	Prime ditto	4s 0d 4s 4d
Scotch ditto	4s 2d 4s 4d	Large pork	2s 4d 3s 0d
Veal	4s 0d 4s 4d	Small ditto	4s 2d 4s 0d

SHADWELL FISH.—Supply large. Demand brisk. Prices: Mixed prime, [illegible]; turbot, 4s; soles, 1s; haddocks, 2s to 3s; large plaice, [illegible]; small ditto, [illegible]; cod, [illegible]; skate, [illegible].

METALS.—Messrs. Morrison, Kekewich, and Co. report: "Copper, Chili bars, three months, £78 15s to £79 5s; G.M.B.'s, £76 5s to £77 15s; three months, £76 15s to £77. Wallaroo, £81 10s; Burra, nominal; tough, £78; best, £80; sheets, £86. Yellow metal, 7½d to 7¾d. Tin.—Highest, £100; lowest, £98; market flat, £99 10s to £100; Straits, £99 15s to £100 5s Australian, £103 to £106 English. Tin plates, 13s 6d to 14s 6d for I.C. cokes. Lead, £13 to £13 5s English, £12 17s 6d to £13 Spanish. Lead sheets, £14 17s 6d to £15, and. Spelter, £18 12s 6d to £18 17s 6d. Zinc sheets, [illegible]. Quicksilver, £9 first hands, £8 15s second hands. Antimony, [illegible]. Iron: Scotch pig, 42s 1d to 42s 1½d; cleveland, [illegible]. Official Report of the London Metal Exchange: [illegible] Chili bars, G.M.B.'s, cash, nominal; ditto, three months, £78 15s to £79 5s. English tough, £77 10s to £78; best selected, £79 to £80; ditto, strong sheets, £86. Tin: Lowest, £98; highest £100, fine foreign, cash; Straits, £99 15s to £100; Australian, £99 15s to £100 5s; three months, Straits, [illegible].

COAL EXCHANGE.—Prices: Wallsend: Hetton, 16s 6d; ditto, Lambton, 15s; ditto, [illegible]; Hetton Lyons, 15s; ditto, Wear, 15s; Bennetts, [illegible]; Hartley, 14s 6d; Lambert's Tanfield, 12s 3d. Ships at market, 22; sold, 7; contracts, gas, &c., 2; [illegible].

GLASGOW PIG IRON.—Market firmer. Good business done at 42s 1d, 42s 6d cash, 42s [illegible] month, buyers, 42s 6d cash, 42s 9d month, sellers [illegible]. Middlesbrough buyers, 34s 9d cash, 35s month; sellers [illegible]. Hematite done at 46s month, buyers, 45s 6d and 45s 1d cash, 45s 11d and 46s 1d month; sellers, 1d more.

SOUTH WALES TRADE.—The steam coal trade was weaker to-day than for some weeks past, a circumstance which was in some measure due to the scarcity of tonnage. Best quality are still quoted at 11s 3d to 11s 6d, and best Monmouthshire at 9s 9d to 10s 3d, and in one case a reduction of 3d a ton on these figures was accepted. Tin plates have gone up 3d to 6d a box in consequence of the rise in [illegible] tin.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.—Sales to-day, 8,000 bales; on speculation and for export, [illegible]. American and Egyptian quiet, unchanged. East Indian steady. Middling Upland, 6d; ditto Orleans, 6d; fair Pernam, [illegible]; ditto brown Egyptian, 6¼d; fair Dhollerah, [illegible]; good ditto, [illegible]; fair Broach, [illegible]; good ditto, [illegible].

LEICESTER CORN.—The present spell of fine weather has brought about a decline in the price of wheat. Foreign barley brought increased rates. Good grinding: White wheat, 41s to 44s; red, 38s to 42s; grinding barley, [illegible]; old beans, 35s to 42s; oats 15s to 25s; [illegible].

CORK CORN.—[illegible] to 4s 9d, 117cwt tawny oats, [illegible].

DUBLIN CORN.—Foreign wheat limited business, and rather less money. Maize lower. Irish wheat, new samples, mostly in poor condition. Oats, old, steady; new, very little inquiry, prices irregular. Barley, some samples of new offered in fair condition, but no sales effected. Flour quiet. Oatmeal steady. Bran [illegible].

LIVERPOOL CORN.—Wheat closed dull, with small demand at 1d decline. [illegible] Maize quiet trade. Prime mixed American, [illegible], round corn, 4s 6d to 4s 10½d per cental. Beans, [illegible].

WAKEFIELD CORN.—Under the influence of more favourable weather the wheat trade is quieter to-day, and in the absence of demand [illegible] are merely nominal. Maltsters await the result of the English crop before commencing operations in foreign. Barley, beans, and oats 1s per quarter, maize 1s per quarter dearer.

CORK BUTTER.—Ordinary: Firsts, 99s; seconds, 90s; thirds, 85s; fourths, [illegible]. Kegs: [illegible]. Mild-cured: [illegible]. In market 1,442 firkins, [illegible].

PRODUCE MARKETS—FRIDAY.

SUGAR.—The demand was slow to-day for cane kinds, and the [illegible] with little inquiry, at about previous rates. [illegible] West India were [illegible]. At public sale 697 bags [illegible]; Cuba, Mexican, [illegible]; Beetroot [illegible], Sept. 15s 9d, Oct.-Dec. [illegible]. In the refined market business was steady, and prices were rather better early to-day, and closed at some improvement [illegible].

COFFEE was quieter without change, and at auction 132 casks plantation Ceylon sold at [illegible]; 416 packages East Indian [illegible]; the [illegible] 82s 3d Nov., 83s 9d Dec., [illegible] Jan.-Feb., and 53s 9d March-April.

RICE has been [illegible] and a cargo of 1,700 tons Ngatsein, May, has been sold at about [illegible].

COTTON.—Firm, with sales [illegible] for fully good fair Tinnevelly. JUTE.—Active and dearer, sales to a larger extent being made [illegible].

OILS.—Linseed: Rather easier, at £19 12s for pipes on spot, and £19 [illegible] Hull. Rape: steady, at £2[illegible] to £27 5s for pipes on spot, and £26 [illegible] for refined. [illegible] Also castor, at 2¾d to [illegible] for American [illegible] on spot. Petroleum: Rather more doing, at 7¼d to 7½d [illegible], 7½d to 7¾d Nov.-Dec., and Russian on spot, [illegible].

SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. Paul's Cathedral.—Morn. (10.30), Prebendary Wilson; after. (3.15), Canon Scott Holland; even. (7), Rev. W. J. Batchelor, rector of St. John's, Hackney.

Westminster Abbey.—Morn. (10), Rev. B. K. W. Pearse, rector of Ascot; after. (3), Canon [illegible].

Foundling Hospital Chapel, Guilford-st.—Morn. (11), Rev. H. E. J. Bevan; after. (3.30), Rev. [illegible], Newington.

St. Paul's, Great Portland-st.—Morn. (11) and even. (7), Rev. [illegible].

St. Clement Danes, Strand.—Morn. (11), Rev. R. Thomas; even. (7), Rev. [illegible].

St. Paul's, Westminster Bridge-rd.—Morn. (11) and even. (6.30), Rev. A. N. [illegible].

St. Andrew's, Ashley-pl., Victoria-st.—Morn. (11) and even. (7), Rev. A. Gerald Bowman.

St. Peter's, Eaton-sq.—Morn. (11), Dr. Ross; even. (7), Rev. Rowland Hill.

St. George, Botolph-ln., Eastcheap.—Morn. (11.15) and even. (7), Rev. W. H. Wilkins.

St. Mark's, Marylebone-rd.—Morn. (11) and even. (7), Rev. G. C. Bellewes.

St. George's, Bloomsbury.—Morn. (11), Rev. H. G. Le Neveu; even. (7), Rev. [illegible].

St. Mary-le-Bow, Cheapside.—Morn. (11), Rev. A. Warner; even. (6.30), Rev. [illegible].

Holy Trinity Church, Little Queen-st., High Holborn.—Morn. (11), [illegible].

St. Nicholas Cole Abbey, Queen Victoria-st.—Morn. (11.15) and even. (7), Rev. [illegible].

St. George's-in-the-East Parish Church.—Even. (7), Rev. R. H. Hadden.

St. Catherine Coleman, Fenchurch-st.—Morn. (11.15) and even. (6.0), Rev. Herbert W. [illegible].

St. Andrew's, Ashley-place.—Morn. (11) and even. (7), Rev. A. Gerald Bowman.

Ecclestone Church, Belgrave-rd.—Morn. (11), and even. (7), Rev. Dr. [illegible].

French Huguenot Church, Athenæum Hall, Tottenham-court-rd.—Morn. (11), Pasteur [illegible]; even. (7), Pasteur [illegible].

Curzon Chapel, Curzon-st., Mayfair.—Morn. (11.30) and even. (6.30), Rev. W. H. [illegible].

St. Columba's (Church of Scotland), Pont-st., Belgravia.—Morn. (11) and even. (7), Rev. J. S. Stuart, M.A.

Welsh Church, St. Benet, Paul's Wharf, Victoria-st.—Morn. (11), Rev. John D. [illegible]; even. (6.30), Rev. Evan Jones.

Welsh Church, Mission, St. Mary's Schools, Paddington-green.—Even. (6.30), Rev. W. [illegible], M.A.

Victoria Chapel, [illegible].—Morn. (11), Rev. F. W. Kellett, [illegible]; even. (7), Rev. Jas. Butters.

Central London Wesleyan Mission, Chapel St. John's-sq.—Morn. (11) and even. (7), Rev. J. J. Waller; after. (3), Rev. Joseph [illegible].

Craven Chapel, Foubert's-pl., Regent-st.—Morn. (11), after. (3), and even. (7), Rev. [illegible], Harvest Thanksgiving Services.

Paddington Chapel, Marylebone-rd.—Morn. (11) and even. (7), Rev. G. Douglas Mackenzie.

Tolmers-square Congregational Chapel.—Morn. (11), Rev. W. E. [illegible].

Camden Chapel, Camberwell New-rd.—Morn. (11) and even. (6.30), Rev. J. [illegible].

Westminster Chapel.—Morn. (11) and even. (7), Rev. Geo. S. Barrett.

Metropolitan Tabernacle, Newington-butts.—Morn. (11) and even. (6.30), Rev. C. H. Spurgeon.

Spencer-place Baptist Chapel, Goswell-rd.—Morn. (11) and even. (6.30), Rev. Philip [illegible].

Christ Church, Westminster Bridge-road.—Morn. (11) and even. (7), Rev. Newman Hall.

Bloomsbury Chapel, Bloomsbury-st.—Morn. (11) and even. (7), Rev. James Baillie.

Regent's Park Chapel, Park-sq. East.—Morn. (11) and even. (7), Rev. F. B. Meyer, B.A.

Vauxhall Baptist Chapel, Upper Kennington-ln.—Morn. (11) and even. (6.30), Rev. J. J. Mason(?), LL.D.

Harecourt Chapel, St. Paul's-rd., Canonbury.—Morn. (11) and even. (7), Rev. [illegible].

Union Chapel, Compton-ter., Islington.—Morn. (11) and even. (6.30), Rev. Palmer [illegible].

Pro-Cathedral, Kensington.—Morn. (11), Rev. M. Fanning; even. (7), Monsignor [illegible].

Rotherhithe Free Church, Deptford Lower-rd.—Morn. (11) and even. (6.30), Dr. M. L. Rosen [illegible].

Gresham Hall, Brixton.—Even. (7), Rev. A. Stuart-Muir, D.D., [illegible].

The Theistic Church, Swallow-st., Piccadilly.—Morn. (11) and even. (7), Rev. Charles Voysey.

The Chapels Royal, St. James's, Whitehall, and Savoy, the Temple Church, Lincoln's Inn, Gray's Inn, and Rolls Chapels are closed for the present.

To-morrow (Sunday) his Excellency Monsignor Persico (Papal Nuncio) will pontificate and preach at the Franciscan Church, Parkroad, Peckham. Services in the morning, Mozart's "Twelfth Mass;" in the evening, Rossini's "Stabat Mater." Vocalists: Mesdames Victoria Newton and Joyce Maas; Messrs. Kelson Trueman and Mr. Richard Temple, of the Savoy Theatre. There are now over 500 poor children in the day schools of this church, and the last Government certificate and grant are most encouraging.

THROAT IRRITATION AND COUGH.—Soreness and dryness, tickling and irritation, inducing cough and affecting the voice. For these symptoms use Epps's Glycerine Jujubes. In contact with the glands at the moment they are excited by the act of sucking, the glycerine in these agreeable confections becomes actively healing. Sold in boxes 7½d., and tins 1s. 1½d., labelled "James Epps and Co., Homœopathic Chemists." Dr. George Moore, in his work on "Nose and Throat Diseases," says: "The Glycerine Jujubes prepared by James Epps and Co. are of undoubted service as a curative or palliative agent;" and Dr. Gordon Holmes, Senior Physician to the Municipal Throat and Ear Infirmary, writes: "After an extended trial, I have found your Glycerine Jujubes of considerable benefit in almost all forms of throat disease."—[ADVT.]

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

DONCASTER NOTES.

With an eye to the Lancashire Plate at Manchester next week, Seabreeze and Ayrshire were sent home after fulfilling their engagements in the St. Leger. In their absence it seemed safe work to predict for the last day the success of Zanzibar in the Park Hill Stakes and Rada in the Doncaster Stakes, and, on the whole, the last day's card looked a good one for backers. They by no means, however, carried all before them, and if the whole of the winners, except Belle Mahone, could boast of plenty of friends, the majority of the first favourites came to grief. The bright weather, so welcome for agricultural purposes, continued to the end, and it will, doubtless, be found, when the returns are published, that the stand receipts have been extraordinarily good. The Private Triennial Sweepstakes opened the ball, and either Scottish King is not a glutton over a distance of ground or he was just below concert pitch. Drizzle, whose light weight enabled her to struggle into third place for the Great Yorkshire Handicap, managed to just outstay him from the bend, and he will have to improve considerably upon this form to have any sort of chance for the Cambridgeshire. Zanzibar's situation in the St. Leger was not gained without a lot of interference, and her defeat in the Park Hill Stakes can solely be attributed to the fact that she was not herself. In the preliminary canter she could not stride over a straw, and when Barrett began to ride hard at the bend, Belle Mahone, who finished a long way behind her on Wednesday, was simply cantering in front of Spice and Fair Haven. To my thinking Zanzibar pulled up sore, if not actually lame, and there was no real merit in the victory of Belle Mahone. Still it made a stir in the Cesarewitch market, and brought her stable companion, Kenilworth, to the front. Here let me remark that Fullerton was included in the acceptances by mistake, so that the weights have to be raised a further 9lb. The three supported for heavy metal in the Prince of Wales's Nursery were Carmine, The Governor, and Robin Hood, of whom the first-mentioned had not been seen since she was purchased by Lord Penrhyn in the Spring. In her new colours Carmine ran badly, and with The Governor failing to wipe out his Derby failure, for which excuses were put forward, Robin Hood sailed home in easy fashion from Your Grace and Aristos. In the Westmoreland Stakes Hugo had been treated with such strange leniency that an entry of fifteen cut down to a field of four. Hugo won the whole of the way, and then followed the Doncaster Cup, the absentees being Exmoor, Kenilworth, and Estafette. The race was run in the falsest possible fashion, and, if Admiral Benbow is the stayer that he has been claimed to be, he surely ought to have rattled along. As it was, the lot only cantered for a mile and a half, and yet the "Admiral" lowered his flag a quarter of a mile from home, and finished very tired in the bargain. Stronvar did not speak much for the St. Leger form when he succumbed to the first and second in the Scarborough Stakes—Grafton and Surbiton—and Sir George Chetwynd's colt has turned out a most profitable purchase. Lord Randolph Churchill's colours were placed in the van by Engaddi in the Selling Handicap for two-year-olds, and the success of Sulphur in the Scurry virtually wound up the entertainment, as Rada was indulged with a walk over for the Doncaster Stakes.

Friday Night. HOTSPUR.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS AND STARTING PRICES.

DONCASTER SEPTEMBER MEETING.

Race.	Horse.	Rider.	Price.
Private Triennial Sweepstakes (3)	Drizzle	Rickaby	11 to 4
Park Hill Stakes (6)	Belle Mahone	Fagan	7 to 1
Prince of Wales's Nursery (12)	Robin Hood	T. Loates	5 to 1
Westmoreland Stakes (4)	Hugo	Allsopp	Evens
Doncaster Cup (5)	Grafton	G. Barrett	5 to 2
Selling Handicap (10)	Engaddi	F. Martin	100 to 12
Scurry Stakes (6)	Sulphur	White	100 to 30
Doncaster Stakes	Rada	F. Webb	w.o.

(The figures in parentheses indicate the number of starters.)

DONCASTER SEPTEMBER MEETING.

FRIDAY.

The THIRD YEAR of a PRIVATE TRIENNIAL SWEEPSTAKES of 50 sovs each, 10 ft, the second received 100 sovs; colts 9st, fillies 8st 11lb. Cup Course.

Lord Durham's Drizzle, by Beaudesert—Scotch Mist, by Lord Clifden, 4 yrs, 8st 11lb (Rickaby) 1

Lord Zetland's Scottish King, 4 yrs, 9st (Watts) 2

Mr. F. W. Lambton's Lasso, 4 yrs, 9st (J. Snowden) 3

(Winner trained by Sadler.)

Betting—5 to 4 on Scottish King, 11 to 4 agst Drizzle, and 100 to 30 agst Lasso.

Drizzle made play, clear of Lasso, with Scottish King waiting in the rear. When half the journey had been covered Lasso headed Drizzle, but he was beaten at the bend, and Drizzle, getting the best of a good race with Scottish King, won by half a length; bad third.

The PARK HILL STAKES of 15 sovs each, 10 ft, with 300 added, for three-year-old fillies, 8st 10lb each, with penalties and allowances, the second received 100 sovs, and the third saved her stake. Old St. Leger Course.

Mr. C. Perkins's Belle Mahone, by Uncas—Jenny Howlet, 8st 13lb (Fagan) 1

Lord Lurgan's Spice, 8st 10lb (F. Barrett) 2

Lord Bradford's Fair Haven, 8st 6lb (Rickaby) 3

Mr. D. Baird's Briar-root, 9st 5lb (Warne) 0

Lord Falmouth's Dorothy Draggletail, 8st 9lb (F. Martin) 0

Mr. Maher's Zanzibar, 9st 7lb (G. Barrett) 0

(Winner trained by I'Anson.)

Betting—11 to 8 on Zanzibar, 5 to 1 agst Briar-root, 7 to 1 agst Belle Mahone, and 100 to 8 others offered.

Briar-root settled down with a clear lead of Fair Haven, with Spice, Belle Mahone next, and Zanzibar last for half a mile, when Dorothy Draggletail took second place. No further change occurred until half the journey had been covered, when the lot took closer order, and Spice and Belle Mahone became third and fourth. Briar-root continued to show the way until nearing the bend, when she was beaten, and Belle Mahone took up the running. At the same time Zanzibar improved her position, but she was beaten directly afterwards, and Belle Mahone won in a canter by a length and a half, half a length between second and third. Zanzibar was fourth, and Briar-root last.

The PRINCE OF WALES'S NURSERY PLATE of 500 sovs, for two-year-olds, winners extra, the second received 50 sovs, entrance 5 guineas. 7 furlongs.

Mr. F. Barrett's Robin Hood, by Ostip—Forest Maiden, 7st 5lb (T. Loates) 1

Mr. C. W. Jousiffe's Your Grace, 7st 12lb (Calder) 2

Mr. H. Mackay's Aristos, 7st 6lb (car 7st 8lb) (S. Loates) 3

Lord Penrhyn's Carmine, 7st 11lb (F. Barrett) 0

Lord Lascelles's Royal Gem, 7st 8lb (J. Woodburn) 0

Mr. F. Weever's Catterina, 7st 8lb (Watts) 0

Mr. T. Rodgers's Springlock, 7st 5lb (Mullen) 0

Mr. F. Buchanan's The Governor, 8st 13lb (Lane) 0

Mr. F. Bates's Wynyard, 7st (Chandley) 0

Mr. J. Sassoon's Tremola, 7st (White) 0

Mr. J. H. Platt's Border Queen, 6st 5lb (allowed 5lb) (car 6st 7lb) (Peters) 0

Mr. T. Valentine's Kinkora, 6st 5lb (G. Chaloner) 0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—7 to 2 each agst Carmine and The Governor, 5 to 1 agst Robin Hood, 10 to 1 each agst Royal Gem, Aristos, and Catterina, and 100 to 8 each agst Wynyard and Your Grace.

A long delay occurred before Kinkora made play, followed by Border Queen, Royal Gem, and the Springlock gelding, with Robin Hood, Tremola, The Governor, and Aristos next, for half the journey, when the Springlock gelding took up the running, but gave way at the bend to Robin Hood, who won in a canter by four lengths; a head between second and third. Royal Gem was fourth, Tremola fifth, Carmine sixth, Catterina next, and Kinkora last.

The WESTMORELAND STAKES (handicap) of 15 sovs each, 5 ft, with 300 added; winners extra, the second received 50 sovs. 7 furlongs, straight.

Mr. Childwick's Hugo, by Balfe—Cockleshell, 4 yrs, 8st 11lb (Allsopp) 1

Mr. W. R. Marshall's Volga, 4 yrs, 7st 13lb (Snowden) 2

Mr. F. W. Lambton's Mischief, 5 yrs, 7st 5lb (car 7st 7lb) (G. Barrett) 3

Mr. Whipp's Frapotel, 4 yrs, 8st (Weldon) 0

(Winner trained by F. Peck.)

Betting—Evens on Hugo, 3 to 1 agst Volga, 4 to 1 agst Frapotel, and 7 to 1 agst Mischief.

Mischief cut out the work from Hugo to the bend, where the latter drew to the front and won in a canter by two lengths; a bad third.

The DONCASTER CUP, value 300 sovs, added to a sweepstakes of 20 sovs each, h ft, with 100 added; weight for age, with penalties and allowances. Cup Course (about 2 miles and 5 furlongs).

Sir G. Chetwynd's Grafton, by Galopin—Miss Middlewick, 3 yrs, 7st 9lb (G. Barrett) 1

Captain Laing's Surbiton, 3 yrs, 7st 9lb (S. Loates) 2

Sir R. Jardine's Stronvar, 3 yrs, 7st 9lb (J. Woodburn) 3

Mr. A. C. Barclay's Clan Chattan, 3 yrs, 7st 4lb (Lubbard) 0

Mr. E. Jones's Admiral Benbow, 3 yrs, 7st [illegible] (T. Loates) 0

(Winner trained by Sherrard.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst Stronvar, 9 to 4 agst Admiral Benbow, 5 to 2 agst Grafton, 5 to 1 agst Clan Chattan, 10 to 1 agst Surbiton.

Admiral Benbow, at a wretched pace, made the running from Clan Chattan and Grafton, with Stronvar last, to the straight for the first time, when Surbiton became third, and Grafton fourth, Admiral Benbow turning out of the straight. However, Surbiton rushed to the front, and carried on the running from Admiral Benbow and Clan Chattan, with Stronvar last. No further change occurred until passing the Rifle Butts, when Clan Chattan closed with Surbiton, and the pace improved. Clan Chattan was beaten half a mile from home, and Admiral Benbow became second, but he was beaten at the bend, where Grafton challenged Surbiton, and getting the best of a good race from the distance, won by half a length, three-quarters of a length between second and third. Clan Chattan was last. Time by Benson's chronograph, 5min 25sec.

The SELLING HANDICAP STAKES of 5 sovs each, with 100 added, for two-year-olds; winners extra, the winner entered to be sold for 100 sovs. 5 furlongs.

Lord R. Churchill's Engaddi, by Mask—Crusade, 8st 7lb (F. Martin) 1

Mr. J. Hammond's Polly Marden, 7st 12lb (T. Loates) 2

Mr. R. Thirlwell's Unionist, 8st (G. Chaloner) 3

Mr. T. Jennings, jun.'s, f by Hampton—Lady Kars, 8st 5lb (G. Barrett) 0

Mr. J. H. Platt's Border Queen, 8st 3lb (W. Platt) 0

Mr. S. J. Baker's Sword Bearer, 8st (Calder) 0

Mr. Beilton's Peregrine Pickle, 7st 12lb (Warne) 0

Mr. J. O'Neill's Plunget, 7st 12lb (Fagan) 0

Mr. H. Sinclair's Slipshod, 7st 11lb (Mullen) 0

Mr. C. J. Fawcett's Fatima, 7st 7lb (J. Woodburn) 0

(Winner trained by R. Sherwood.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst Peregrine Pickle, 4 to 1 agst Sword Bearer, 7 to 1 agst Lady Kars filly, 8 to 1 agst Plunget, 100 to 12 agst Engaddi, 9 to 1 agst Polly Marden, and 100 to 8 each agst Unionist, Fatima, and Slipshod.

Plunget showed the way from Lady Kars filly and Polly Marden to the distance, where they gave way to the three placed. Engaddi winning by a neck, a length between second and third. Lady Kars filly was fourth, and Peregrine Pickle last. Slipshod fell.

The SCURRY STAKES of 5 sovs each, with 100 added; weight for age; with selling and other allowances. Red House in.

Mr. Campbell's Sulphur, by Vulcan—Miss Fife, aged, 8st 12lb (£100) (White) 1

Mr. J. Collins's Eleusis, 3 yrs, 8st (£100) (T. Loates) 2

Mr. Gubbins's Stars and Stripes, 3 yrs, 8st 5lb (£100) (Lubbard) 3

Sir G. Chetwynd's Stetchworth, 4 yrs, 8st 9lb (£100) (F. Barrett) 0

Mr. J. H. Shepherd's Mirabelle, 2 yrs, 6st 4lb (£100) (Blake) 0

Mr. J. Hammond's Strathblane, aged, 8st 12lb (£100) (G. Barrett) 0

(Winner trained by Bambridge.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst Stars and Stripes, 100 to 30 agst Sulphur, 5 to 1 agst Mirabelle, 11 to 2 agst Eleusis, and 6 to 1 agst Strathblane.

Eleusis made running, followed by Mirabelle and Stars and Stripes, with Sulphur next, to the distance, where the latter closed with Eleusis, whom he beat after a good race by three-quarters of a length; two lengths between second and third. Mirabelle was fourth, and Stetchworth last.

The DONCASTER STAKES of 15 sovs each, 5 ft, with 500 added; colts, 8st 10lb, fillies, 8st 6lb, with penalties and allowances; the second received 100 sovs, third 50, and the breeder of the winner 100 sovs. Last mile and a half.

Lord Falmouth's Rada, by Speculum—Nellie Macgregor, 8st 6lb (Webb) w.o.

Lord Bradford's Fair Haven received 100 sovs out of the stakes.

(Winner trained by M. Dawson.)

LATEST BETTING ON THE COURSE.

CESAREWITCH.

7 to 1 agst Acme (t and o)	25 to 1 agst Admiral Benbow (off, after the Doncaster Cup)
1000 to 200 — Kenilworth (t and off)	
25 to 1 — Polydor (off)	1000 to 30 — Fretwork (off)

CAMBRIDGESHIRE.

8 to 1 agst Minting (off)	40 to 1 agst Polydor (off)

Fullerton should not have appeared amongst the acceptances for the Cesarewitch, having paid forfeit on Tuesday last. The non-acceptance of Fullerton leaves Orbit and Tenebreuse top weights with 9st 12lb each, the weights having been raised an additional 9lb all round.

Mr. A. Hoole's colt by Sir Charles—Gone has been named Rushout.

SWIMMING.—FINNEY AND KISTLER.—The swimming match between James Finney, holder of the Championship of the World, and George Kistler, Champion of Devon and Cornwall, for the Mile Championship in the open sea and £50, was decided in Mount's Bay, Penzance, yesterday. The course was half a mile across the bay and back. The sea was very lumpy. Finney took the lead at the start, and was never approached, ultimately winning easily by 180 yards. The winner's time was 38min 25sec, whilst Kistler occupied 39min 44sec. The event was witnessed by some thousands of spectators. Finney was always the favourite, odds of 3 to 1 being laid on him winning.

CRICKET.

AUSTRALIANS v. SHAW AND SHREWSBURY'S ELEVEN.

Beautiful weather favoured the conclusion of this match at Old Trafford, Manchester, yesterday. As was anticipated the Englishmen won easily. Overnight Shaw's team had made 196 in their first innings, as against 35 by the Australians, who had also lost two wickets without scoring in their second. At ten minutes past twelve the Australians' play was resumed by Edwards and McDonnell going to the wicket, the bowling being shared by Briggs and Lohmann. Both men hit freely, and 30 runs were put on when Briggs took the Australian captain's wicket. Bannerman came in, to be disposed of before he had scored. Four for 38. Trott joined Edwards, who had previously obtained a couple of 4's off Lohmann; but this bowler had his revenge shortly afterwards by causing him to be taken in the slips. Five for 42. Bonnor was the new comer, but Trott did most scoring putting Briggs to leg for 3, and hitting him straight over the ring for 4, which he supplemented by sending him to the off for 3 and 4 respectively. Bonnor in the meantime had contributed several singles, when he was splendidly caught in the long field. Six for 69. A run later the new-comer, Lyons, was missed at long off by Smith before he had scored, and after this let off he hit each bowler to the boundary, whilst Trott drove Lohmann off for 4. This caused a double change at 88, Preston and Pougher going on. The century went up at a quarter to two, and at 110 Smith relieved Preston. Trott despatched the fresh bowler to leg for 4, and hit him for a single, when Lyons was disposed of by Smith, and the luncheon period arrived, the last wicket having put on 46 runs, Trott being not out 39, and seven wickets being down for 115. After the interval Pougher and Smith shared the attack, and, the batsmen punishing both bowlers, caused Lohmann to go on for Smith, and two runs later Briggs took the ball from Pougher. Turner eventually saved the innings defeat by driving Lohmann to the off for a couple, and at 168 Preston again went on. Turner gave a chance to Smith at long-off when he had compiled 22, but at 164 the fieldsman caught him in the same position. The wicket had added 53. Five runs later Trott was caught at the wicket for a splendid innings of 73, his chief hits consisting of eight 4's, four 3's, and six 2's. At a quarter to four the innings closed for 192, thus leaving the Englishmen 33 to get to win. Twenty minutes play sufficed for this. Briggs and Read put on 27, when the former was bowled for 18. Crosfield came in and made the winning hit, the Australians thus being defeated by nine wickets. Score:

SHAW AND SHREWSBURY'S ELEVEN.

W. Newham, b Turner	32	not out	6
M. Read, b Turner	20		
Lohmann, b Turner	35		
F. C. Docker, l b w, b Trott	32		
Briggs, l b w, b Lyons	37	b Ferris	18
S. M. Crosfield, c Bonnor, b Trott	6	not out	[illegible]
C. A. Smith, b Turner	7		
Preston, c and b Turner	5		
[illegible], st Jarvis, b Trott	0		
Pougher, not out	4		
[illegible], c and b Turner	2		
B 8, l b 2	10	L b	1
Total	196	Total	34

AUSTRALIANS.

P. S. McDonnell, c Lohmann, b Briggs	5	b Briggs	22
A. C. Bannerman, l b w, b Lohmann	4	b Briggs	0
H. Trott, run out	0	c [illegible], b Preston	73
G. J. Bonnor, b Briggs	1	c Crosfield, b Briggs	7
J. J. Lyons, b Briggs	0	b Smith	24
C. T. B. Turner, c Read, b Lohmann	4	c Smith, b Briggs	28
J. J. Ferris, c Docker, b Briggs	14	run out	0
J. Worrall, b Briggs	0	not out	3
J. McC. Blackham, b Lohmann	5	l b w, b Preston	0
J. D. Edwards, b Briggs	0	c Pougher, b Lohmann	19
A. H. Jarvis, not out	0	run out	0
B	2	B 10, l-b 1	11
Total	35	Total	192

SHAW'S ELEVEN—First Innings.

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Turner	44.2	19	72	6	Trott	27	6	60	3
Ferris	25	10	32	0	Lyons	8	1	21	1

Second Innings.

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Turner	2	0	15	0	Trott	3.2	2	8	0
Ferris	5	3	12	1					

AUSTRALIANS—First Innings.

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Lohmann	12.1	7	16	3	Briggs	12	6	17	6

Second Innings.

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Lohmann	33	17	45	1	Pougher	14	6	29	0
Briggs	37	11	64	4	Smith	8	3	14	1
Preston	13.3	4	26	2					

HASTINGS AND ST. LEONARDS WEEK.

NORTH v. SOUTH.

When play ceased on Thursday afternoon the South had completed an innings for 253, and the North had lost one batsman (Hall) for 38. Yesterday Dixon (16) and Gunn (3) resumed batting to the bowling of Beaumont and Hearne. The latter, however, gave way to Wright after Gunn had cut him twice for 4. Dixon drove Beaumont for 4, and Gunn sent him to leg for 4. Dixon next made three cuts for 4 and one for 4 from Wright. Gunn was well caught at the wicket at 74. Barnes, the next in, [illegible] at 98, Dixon driving the new bowler for 4 and cut him for 3. Beaumont relieved Hearne. Barnes was very soon afterwards caught at long off. Score for 110. Dixon was caught at short-slip three runs later, and Daft and Sugg became partners. McCormack well caught the first named at square leg. Five for 121. Daft was bowled at 130, and Attewell caught at short slip at 141. Flowers made things lively by hitting Grace out of the ground for 6, and to leg for 4. At 164 Barlow was bowled, and at 176 Flowers was caught at short slip. Although Sherwin saved the follow-on, the innings closed at 187, leaving the South with 71 to the good. They commenced their second innings with Grace and Abel, Peel and Attewell bowling. Grace had made a couple of 4's, when he was caught at mid-off. One for 18. Pigg and Abel took the total to 50, when Pigg was caught at the wicket. At 74 Read was caught at short slip, and Abel was bowled by Peel with the total at 95. Sutthery, who joined Key, hit hard, and Attewell bowled in place of Barnes, while Dixon went on for Peel, in whose second over, Sutthery was bowled after being missed at short slip. Five for 135. McCormick was caught at the wicket at 151, Barlow having just relieved Attewell, and Wright joined Key. Peel at this point bowled in place of Dixon. Just as time was approached, Wright was bowled, the total being 155 for seven wickets, Key being not out with 42. Score:

SOUTH.

W. G. Grace, b Barlow	44	c Dixon, b Peel	16
Abel, b Peel	30	b Peel	[illegible]
H. Pigg, c and b Peel	2	c Sherwin, b Flowers	[illegible]
W. W. Read, c Barnes, b Barlow	96	c Hall, b Flowers	[illegible]
K. J. Key, b Attewell	13	not out	42
A. M. Sutthery, c Barnes, b Flowers	15	b Dixon	11
F. J. McCormick, c Sherwin, b Barlow	34	c Sherwin b Barlow	6
W. Wright, b Barlow	2	b Barlow	1
A. Hearne, st Sherwin, b Peel	2		
H. Phillips, not out	10		
Beaumont, st Sherwin, b Peel	0		
B 2, l b 3	5	B 11, l b 1	12
Total	253	Total	155

NORTH.

J. A. Dixon, c Read, b Beaumont	55	Barlow, b Beaumont	7
Hall, run out	5	Attewell, c Abel, b Beaumont	4
Gunn, c Phillips, b Hearne	26	Flowers, c Abel b Wright	26
Barnes, c Read, b Hearne	21	Peel, McCormick b Wright	10
F. Sugg, c McCormick, b Grace	[illegible]	Sherwin, not out	7
H. B. Daft, b Grace	[illegible]	B 4, l b 3	7
		Total	187

SOUTH—First Innings.

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Attewell	31	13	38	1	Barlow	30	11	44	4
Barnes	19	4	38	0	Flowers	16	6	24	1
Peel	47.1	20	81	4					

NORTH—First Innings.

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Beaumont	32	12	73	3	Hearne	15	8	21	1
Wright	25.3	4	48	2	Grace	16	7	38	3

Umpires—Thoms and Carpenter.

SALE OF BLOOD STOCK AT DONCASTER.

These sales were brought to a conclusion yesterday morning. The attendance, however, was only a limited one, and, the catalogue being of a mixed character, the prices for the most part ruled small, and in only one instance were four figures reached, this being for Captive Queen, a blood mare, whose destination is Hungary. Prices and purchasers:

MR. TATTERSALL'S CATALOGUE.

THE PROPERTY OF COLONEL WYNNE. Gs.

B c (2 yrs) by Forest-town, dam foaled 1880 (Mr. Boaville) 15

THE PROPERTY OF MR. J. M. JENNINGS.

Ch f (2 yrs) by Silvester—Common Sense (Mr. Barnes) 100

MR. J. SMITH BARRY'S YEARLINGS.

Veuve Clicquot, b f, by Fortunatus—Castle Rouge (Mr. T. Cannon) 25

Cornette, b f, by Robert the Devil—Captive Queen (Mr. Hutchens) 200

Statels, b f, by Galliard—Stillwater (Mr. Gertz) 5.0

Marbury, br f by Napsbury—Morella (Mr. Gilbert) 200

BLINK BONNY STUD YEARLINGS.

B c by Caremont—Robin Around (Mr. C. Morton) 70

B c by Pursebearer—Bonnie Marion (Mr. Heslop) 160

B f by Muncaster—Eiderdown (Mr. J. Martin) 105

B f by Pursebearer—Red Light (Mr. C. Morton) 1.0

THE PROPERTY OF MR. T. ISAAND.

B c by Pursebearer—Algitha (Mr. Wilkinson) 35

THE PROPERTY OF MR. J. BOYCE.

Pursestring, b c by Pursebearer—Vile (Mr. Williamson) 45

YEARLINGS, THE PROPERTY OF MR. H. S. CONSTABLE.

Ch f by Southampton—Lady Derwentwater (Sir H. De Trafford) 115

Ch f by Southampton—Helen (Mr. Gregory) 115

Ch c by Southampton—Lady of the Delta (Mr. Hobbs) 600

Ch c by Southampton—Lady Glendalough (Mr. C. Morton) 200

Br c by Southampton—Brunette (Mr. T. A. J. Evans) 400

THE PROPERTY OF SIR CHARLES STRICKLAND.

Ch c by Southampton—Amazon (Mr. Gatland) 50

THE BAUMBER PARK STUD YEARLINGS.

Catamount, b f, by Cerulean—[illegible] (Mr. J. Shepherd) 25

[illegible], b c, by Marden—Maid of the Mill (Mr. Humphreys) 160

Intrinsity, ch c, by Cerulean—Frailty (Mr. Whipp) 110

Cough, ch c, by Cerulean—Tingle (Lord Durham) 600

Marat, b c, by Marden—Priscilla (Mr. C. Friend) 45

Ballyhing, b c, by Discord—Dundrum (Mr. J. Lowe) 250

Silver Wing, br c, by Silvester—Miss Winger (Mr. Gregory) 130

[illegible], b f, by Hagioscope—The Swan (Mr. Golding) 150

Save, b f, by Cerulean—Lena (Mr. Stuart) 140

Lourene, by Cerulean or Hagioscope—Princess Theresa (Mr. C. Morton) 250

Cohabitation, b f, by Cerulean—Conjugal Rights (Mr. J. Lowe) 60

Atlantide, br f, by Cerulean—Merope (Mr. Ashmann) 70

THE PROPERTY OF MR. BOURNE.

Terpsichore, br f, by Quicklime—Mabile (Mr. Rogers) 65

Lanthorpe, br c, by Quicklime—Lady Lanthorpe (Mr. Gollings) 50

YEARLINGS, THE PROPERTY OF MR. W. E. ELSEY.

Winter Rose, br f, by Poste Restante—Chester Rose (Mr. Alexander) 50

Billet Doux, br f, by Poste Restante—Lady Maiden (Mr. J. Nightingall) 100

Duchesse d'Aumale, br f, by Peregrine—Aumale (Mr. Dobson) 45

Love Letter, br f, by Poste Restante—Adeline (Mr. Friend) 50

Postal Order, br c, by Poste Restante—Poor Lassie (General Byrne) 600

Orange Peel, br c, by Cerulean—Tangerine (Sir C. Hartopp) 200

Socialist, ch c, by Crystal—Miss York (Mr. Crux) 400

Hippona, br f, by Hagioscope—Agnes (Mr. J. Lowe) 125

BROOD MARES, THE PROPERTY OF MARQUIS CHOLMONDELEY.

Fortune (1865), by Scottish Chief—Chance (Mr. C. Greenwood) 100

MARE AND FOAL, TO DISSOLVE PARTNERSHIP.

Far and Wide, bl m (foaled 1876), by the Ranger—Pellar (Mr. R. G. Price) 210

Kynaston, bl or br colt foal, by Child of the Mist—Far and Wide (Mr. Bailey) 45

THE PROPERTY OF EARL FITZWILLIAM.

Fig, by Hungerford—Tehia (Mr. Corner) 70

THE PROPERTY OF THE HON. CHAS. FITZWILLIAM.

Queen Margaret, by King Tom—Katherine Logie (Mr. Chatterton) 25

THE PROPERTY OF A GENTLEMAN.

Colt foal, by Sharrow—Tymbestere (Mr. Marshall) 150

STALLION.

Sharrow (1879), by Prince Charlie—Victory (Mr. Rogers) 110

STALLION, THE PROPERTY OF MR. HEPWORTH T. BARCLAY.

Runnymede, b h, 6 yrs, by King John—Rio (Mr. J. Watson) 140

STALLION, FROM THE CROFT STUD.

Black Bryony (1884), by Rosicrucian—Kingcup (Mr. Constable) 100

MR. SOMERVILLE TATTERSALL'S CATALOGUE.

MARES AND FOALS, THE PROPERTY OF MR. H. [illegible].

Symmetrical, ch m, by Macaroni—Whiteleg (Mr. G. [illegible]) 100

B f foal, by Quicklime—Symmetrical (Mr. Annett) 25

Aubrey, b m, by Cremorne—Caton (Mr. Winteringham) 1.0

Ch f foal, by Southampton—Aubrey (Mr. F. Douglas) 75

Ch f foal, by Camballo—Mizpah (Mr. R. Marsh) 120

MARES FROM THE BAUMBER STUD.

Syren, ch m, by Cremorne—Scythian Princess (Mr. Winteringham) 100

Rosherville, b m, by Cremorne—Vertumna (Mr. Winteringham) 50

BROOD MARES, THE PROPERTY OF MR. R. VYNER.

Bonnyweather, b m, by Sweetstakes—Countess (Mr. Corner) 45

Fair May, ch m, by Jamie Crow—Fair Trader (Mr. Freeman) 60

Olivette, ch m, by Parmesan—Cecilia (Mr. Winteringham) 250

Silverlight, gr m, by Silvester—Lady Stables (Mr. Thompson) 155

BROOD MARES, THE PROPERTY OF LORD ZETLAND.

Blanchefleur, by Saunterer—Queen Bertha (Mr. Jackerton) 25

Castellamare, by Macaroni—Sister to Adelaide (Mr. Hume Webster) 100

Flora, by Buccaneer—Violet (Sir R. Green Price) 60

Margarita, by The Duke—Tasmania (Mr. Chatterton) 30

Installation, by Knight of the Garter—Ana Vive (Mr. J. Watts) 100

Margot, by Wenlock—Margarita (Mr. Young) 50

ANOTHER PROPERTY.

Maid of Wye, by Vedette—Evaline, with colt foal by Albert Victor (Mr. T. Jennings, jun.) 100

Mitre Oak, by Cathedral—Silver Fine (Mr. Freeman) 60

BROOD MARES AND FOALS, THE PROPERTY OF MR. ROBERT OSBORNE.

Blue Vinny, by Parmesan—Bergamine (Mr. R. Cunningham) 310

F foal, by Philammon—Blue Vinny (Mr. Bell) 160

Duchess of Connaught, by Knight of St. Patrick—Pierry (Mr. Baird Hay) 370

F foal, by Beaudesert—Duchess of Connaught (Mr. J. Waugh) 200

Lady Lumley, by See-saw—Lady Alice Hawthorn (Mr. Palliser) 440

F foal, by Albert Victor—Lady Lumley (Mr. Beddington) 200

Coney, by Atherstone—Fair Agnes (Mr. J. Sharry) 220

Ch c foal, by George Frederick—Pierry (Mr. J. Sharry) 205

Wild Aggie, by Wild Dayrell—Fair Agnes (Mr. Townley Parker) 160

B f foal, by Tertius—Wild Aggie (Mr. Townley Parker) 160

THE PROPERTY OF A GENTLEMAN.

Jenny Diver, b m, by Buccaneer—Fairy (Mr. J. Porter) 165

C foal by Muncaster—Jenny Diver (Mr. Houldsworth) 610

Ambulance, ch m, by Victorious—Benefactress (Mr. J. T. Wood) 100

Ch c foal by Muncaster—Ambulance (Mr. Wright) 160

Isabel, b m, by Rataplan—The Belle (Mr. Ramsden) 100

GIBSIDE PARK STUD MARES AND FOALS.

Jollification, by Victorious—Merry and Wise (Mr. M. Dawson) 160

C foal by Uncas—Jollification (Mr. Beddington) 100

My Lady, by Lord Clifden—Arneva (Mr. Crosley) 75

C foal by Excelsior—My Lady (Mr. Graham) 110

Flamingo, by Adventurer—Lady [illegible] (Mr. R. Marsh) 410

C foal by Charibert—Lady [illegible] (Mr. R. Marsh) 210

[illegible], by Beaudesert—Queen Mab (Mr. Pennington) 155

C foal by Uncas—Royal Rose (Mr. Heaty) 105

Queen of the Meadows, by Exminster—Queen of the May (Mr. R. Marsh) 620

C foal by Charibert—Queen of the Meadows (Mr. R. Marsh) 370

Queen of the Isles, by Exminster—Queen of the May (Mr. Jones) 300

C foal by Camballo—Queen of the Isles (Mr. Beddington) 300

Queen of the Hills, by Exminster—Queen of the May (Mr. Foster) 300

C foal by Camballo—Queen of the Hills (Mr. R. Marsh) 410

Queen of the Valley, by Exminster—Queen of the May (Lord Scarborough) 46

F foal by Albert Victor—Queen of the Valley (Lord Penrhyn) 210

THE PROPERTY OF MR. SMITH BARRY.

Morella, by General Peel—Matilda (Sir R. Jardine) 75

Carte Blanche, by Blue-town—dam by Lord Clifden (Mr. Palmer) 120

Stillwater, by Cathedral—Stockwater (Mr. Prior) 400

Seven [illegible], f foal, by Peter—Stillwater (Mr. Hawkes) 225

Captive Queen, by Scottish Chief—Hilda (Count Lehndorff) 1100

[illegible], c foal, by Muncaster—Captive Queen (Mr. Chilwick) 410

THE PROPERTY OF MR. SMITH.

Mnemosyne, by Cambuscan—Memoria (Mr. Graham) 210

F foal by Cerulean—Mnemosyne (Mr. Graham) 130

[illegible], by Parmesan—Duchess (Mr. Stuart) 115

THE PROPERTY OF MR. SMITH BARRY.

Colonna, b m, by Beaucierc—Fair Alice (Sir C. Morgan) 575

MIDDLESEX COUNTY FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

The County Football Clubs were well represented at the first general meeting of the association, which was held at No. 6, [illegible], Hyde Park, yesterday evening. The chair was occupied by Mr. F. J. Wall (Marylebone). The secretary stated that 72 invitations had been sent out to the various clubs to join, and not one had refused to accept the association their support. Mr. Cottell's offer to give a challenge cup to be competed for was unanimously accepted, and it was decided that the first round should take place on Jan. 12, 1889, the remaining rounds to be settled by the committee. The following were elected for the ensuing year: President, Lord George Hamilton, M.P.; vice-presidents, Messrs. C. Cottell, R. White, and J. Farmer, jun.; hon. secretary, Mr. J. H. Farmer, 6, [illegible], Hyde Park, W.; treasurer, Mr. F. [illegible]. The rules of the cup competition were referred to the committee, and the secretary was requested to try and arrange a match with the Canadian team now in this country. The usual votes of thanks terminated the meeting.

LAST NIGHT'S GAZETTE.

PARTNERSHIPS DISSOLVED.

George Steel, William Young, and William Livingston, 101, Leadenhall-st., London, [illegible], so far as regards William Livingston.—Frederick Smith and Joseph Odling, [illegible], Spitalfields Market, Middlesex, [illegible].—Samuel Smith and George Nevins, 9, [illegible], hosiery manufacturers.—George William Hersey, Charles James Hersey, and Sidney Hersey, 2, Oxford-st., Middlesex, [illegible], so far as regards Charles James Hersey.—Thomas Nothard and John Lowe, King's-cross Potato Market, Middlesex, potato salesmen.—Jacob Rae and John Rae, Stanley Villas, 7, Derby-rd., West Croydon, Surrey, drapers.—Thomas Robinson and Henry Astley, corner of Audley-range and Chalk-st., Blackburn, grocers.—William Bonser and Edward Bonser, Sutton-in-Ashfield, Nottingham, drapers.—Edwin Rowland, Robert Anthony Smith, Long Benton, Northumberland, grocers.—Joseph Travis, Thomas Freeman, and Joseph Wright, [illegible], Oldham, Lancashire, cotton spinners.—Richard Kelly, James Coonan, and Edwin Smith, 167, Great [illegible], Waterloo, near Liverpool, Lancashire, brickmakers.—William Birch, William Smith, and George Smith, High-st., Burton-on-Trent, Staffordshire, provision dealers.—William Reed and William Thomas Rees, Smithfield Market, Manchester, fruit salesmen.—Arthur Weston and Albert Russell Johnson, Grey Friargate, Nottingham, lace merchants.—William Applegate, Henry Applegate, and Albert Applegate, Trowbridge, Wiltshire, woollen manufacturers, so far as regards Henry Applegate.—Henry Barraclough and John Henry Ralph Smythe, Bournemouth, solicitors.—Henry Searl and George White, Newport, Edmington(?), Warwickshire, manufacturers of engineers' tools.—Walter Morris, Thomas Foster Wainwright and Joseph Rigby, Neptune Works, Uttoxeter-rd., Fairfield, Manchester, lamp wick manufacturers, so far as regards Josiah Rigby.—John Butler and Edwin Butler, Bloxham, Oxfordshire, English timber dealers.

THE BANKRUPTCY (DISCHARGE AND CLOSURE) ACT, 1887.

APPLICATIONS FOR ORDERS OF DISCHARGE.

IN LONDON.

Antler, Daniel Henry, 8a, Strand, Torquay, Devonshire, hairdresser, Nov. 3, High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.

Kinloch, Wickham Robertson, 21, Argyle-sq., King's-cross, Nov. 5, High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.

ORDER MADE ON APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

IN THE COUNTRY.

Mawson, Isaac, 28, Hope-st., Lancashire, stonemason, discharge granted.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1883.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

IN LONDON.

Brooke Brothers, late Norwood Brewery, Lower Norwood, Surrey, brewers, Sept. 11, High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.

Danes, Edward, 119, Bushey Hill-rd., Surrey, Queen's tax collector, Sept. 11, High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.

Ramsay, Henry Harris, 1, Greek-st., trimming manufacturer, Sept. 12, High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.

Smith, George William, 27, Old Bond-st., jeweller, Sept. 10, High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.

Smith, James Gordon, 153, Cannon-st., merchant, Sept. 10, High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.

Travers, George, 2, [illegible], Maida-vale, private inquiry agent, Sept. 11, High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.

Ward, Edward James, 22, Surrey-st., Strand, solicitor, Sept. 12, High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.

Williams, Joseph Fox, Lillie Bridge Works, West Brompton, metal casement maker, Sept. 10, High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.

IN THE COUNTRY.

Joy, Mary, Queen's Hotel, West-parade, Rhyl, Flintshire, hotel keeper, Sept. 11, Bangor.

Hussey, Michael, Bradford, Wiltshire, licensed victualler, Sept. 12, Bath.

Stott, John, 24, Manningham-ln., Bradford, Yorkshire, tobacconist, Sept. 12, Bradford.

Dickson, Clement John, Sunnyside, Holmwood, Surrey, Sept. 11, Croydon.

Whittle, James, 89, Commercial-rd., Kirkstall, Leeds, Yorkshire, tailor, Sept. 12, Leeds.

Brown, John, Walton-by-Kimcote, Leicestershire, wheelwright, Sept. 12, Leicester.

Richards, Charles Thomas, Loughborough-rd., Belgrave, Leicestershire, builder, Sept. 12, Leicester.

Faulkner, Francis Macnamara, the Palace Hotel, Birkdale, near Southport, Lancashire, retired captain of the Royal Marine Light Infantry, Sept. 12, Liverpool.

Graves, John Cousens, 20a, Lincoln-rd., Nottingham, hosier, Sept. 11, Nottingham.

Gerrard, Jane, Church-st., Preston, Lancashire, draper, Sept. 8, Preston.

Heyword, George Arthur, 96, Deansgate, Manchester, Lancashire, [illegible], Sept. 12, Salford.

Evans, Walter, 7, [illegible], Middlesbrough, Yorkshire, journeyman tailor, Sept. 12, Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesbrough.

Knott, Thomas, 5, the Royal Exchange, Middlesbrough, Yorkshire, merchant, Sept. 8, Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesbrough.

Barrett, George, and Barr, Thomas, Normacott-rd., Longton, Staffordshire, china manufacturers, Sept. 10, Stoke-on-Trent.

Sant, John, 17, [illegible], Stoke-upon-Trent, Staffordshire, grocer, Sept. 12, Stoke-upon-Trent.

Atkinson, Jeremiah, 25, Market-pl., Egremont, Cumberland, ironmonger, Sept. 12, Whitehaven.

Gosling, David Laughton, [illegible] Farm, Denham, Buckinghamshire, farmer, Sept. 8, Windsor.

Hewson, George Henry, 21, Market-st., Trinity-ln., York, florist, Sept. 11, York.

ORDER RESCINDING RECEIVING ORDER.

IN LONDON.

Sinfield, Frank, 25, Gurney-rd., Stratford, Essex, baker.

PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

IN LONDON.

Cox, Walter, 7, Adelphi-villas, Underhill-rd., Honor Oak, East Dulwich, Surrey, cabinetmakers' salesman, Oct. 19, at 34, Lincoln's Inn-fields, W.C.

Dixon, William Reuben, 32, Essex-st., Strand, accountant's clerk, Oct. 26, at 34, Lincoln's Inn-fields, W.C.

Hawkins, [illegible], 22, [illegible], Walthamstow, Essex, builder, Nov. 2, at 34, Lincoln's Inn-fields, W.C.

Hardcastle, Philip Hall, 29, Mecklenburgh-sq., solicitor, Oct. 26, at 34, Lincoln's Inn-fields, W.C.

Morten, Thomas Hosmer, 22, Cockspur-st., Charing-cross, gunmaker, Oct. 23, at 34, Lincoln's Inn-fields, W.C.

Piquet, Georges, 57, Hatton-garden, wine merchant, Oct. 22, at 34, Lincoln's Inn-fields, W.C.

Pereira, C., 17, Lenthall-rd., Dalston, builder, Oct. 23, at 34, Lincoln's Inn-fields, W.C.

Wragg, Edward John, 179, Whitechapel-rd., jobmaster, Sept. 27, at 34, Lincoln's Inn-fields, W.C.

DAY FOR PUBLIC EXAMINATION ADJOURNED SINE DIE.

IN LONDON.

Isvid, David, 58, Holborn Viaduct, commission merchant, Oct. 11 at 34, Lincoln's Inn-fields, W.C.

ADJUDICATIONS.

IN LONDON.

Parkin, Herbert, late 31, Broadgate, Lincoln, money lender.

Holloway, Henry, East Ham, Essex, contractor.

Pickering, Henry, 191, Wandsworth-rd., Surrey, clothier.

Skinner, Joseph, 54, Crosby Hall-chambers, Bishopsgate-st. Within, lumber merchant.

Smith, Edward Burgess, 39, Northaw, Hertford, late stockbroker.

Smith, John, 96, Shepherd's-bush-road, upholsterer.

IN THE COUNTRY.—Robert H. Roberts, Brynmaster, St. Asaph, Llandegai, Carnarvonshire, quarryman.—Michael Hiscock, Bradford, Wiltshire, licensed victualler.—Robert Howson, 28, Waterfall-lodge, Blackburn, cab proprietor.—Francis Ward, 54, Scotland-rd., Blackburn, Lancashire, draper.—John Stott, 24, Manningham-ln., Bradford, Yorkshire, tobacconist.—John Baimbridge, 192, East-rd., Cambridge, mineral water manufacturer.—James William Sawyer, 61, High-st., Haverhill, Suffolk, butcher.—William Seurlock, 8, Priory-st., Carmarthen, ironmonger.—Thomas Barton, Bourton-on-the-Water, Gloucestershire, miller.—William Charles Bramwood, 25, St. Thomas-st., Melcombe Regis, Dorsetshire, grocer.—John Steele, 20, Wickham-rd., Brockley, Kent, schoolmaster.—Leonard A. Gould, Bewdley, Worcestershire, British wine manufacturer.—James Whitton, 69, Commercial-rd., Kirkstall, Leeds, Yorkshire, tailor.—William Henry Bray, Brighton House, Eastbourne-rd., New Humberstone, Leicestershire, builder.—Charles Thomas Richards, Loughborough-rd., Belgrave, Leicestershire, builder.—Charles Tovey, 137, Commercial-rd., Newport, Monmouthshire, undertaker.—John Collinson, 206, [illegible], Nottingham, hosier.—Charles A. Cawte, 45, Alexandra-rd., Landport, Hampshire, baker.—Jane Gerrard, Church-st., Preston, Lancashire, draper.—John Graves, late Broomhall-rd., Eccles, Lancashire, solicitor.—Thomas Rose, Swainst., Walton-st., Salford, Lancashire, wheelwright.—Joseph Berger, 761, Newport-rd., Middlesbrough, bed dealer.—Walter Evans, 70, Ormesby-rd., Middlesbrough, Yorkshire, journeyman tailor.—Thomas Knott, 5, The Royal Exchange, Middlesbrough, Yorkshire, merchant.—William Tanfield, 16, Swallowmere-st., South Stockton, Yorkshire, late builder.—Jeremiah Atkinson, 25, Market-pl., Egremont, Cumberland, ironmonger.—George Henry Hewson, Trinity-ln., York, florist.

BANKRUPTCY ANNULLED.

IN LONDON.

Bellingham, John, 10, Savoy-bldgs., Strand, traveller.

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS.

IN LONDON.

Daily, John, Rose and Crown-ct., Foster-ln., Cheapside, foreign importer, first and final div. of [illegible], any day (except Saturday) at the Chief Official Receiver's, 33, Carey-st., Lincoln's Inn.

Rayner, James Frederick, Billet-road, Chapel End, Walthamstow, Essex, bricklayer, first and final div. of [illegible], any day (except Saturday), at the Chief Official Receiver's, 33, Carey-st., Lincoln's Inn.

Van den Berg, 108, Tredegar-rd., Bow, boot manufacturer, final div. of [illegible], Sept. 19, at 62, Queen-st., Cheapside, E.C.

IN THE COUNTRY.—Evan Jones, 22, Gadlys-rd., Aberdare, Glamorganshire, grocer, first div. of [illegible], Sept. 17, at the Official Receiver's, Merthyr Tydfil.—William Crook, Coldcroft, Chorley, Lancashire, contractor, first and final div. of [illegible], Sept. 25, at [illegible].—Joseph Smith, St. Thomas-st., Chorley, Lancashire, Preston.—Elijah Race, 43, Elizabeth-st., Bradford, Yorkshire, stuff merchant, first and final div. of [illegible], Sept. 17, at the Official Receiver's, 31, Manor-row, Bradford.—Gustavus Frederic Barr, 1, Parkgate-parade, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire, Colonel in the Royal Artillery, Retired List, fourth div. of [illegible], Sept. 18, at the Official Receiver's, 15, King-st., Gloucester.—Percy Jonathan Sturges Harlow, 5, Kitchener-villas, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire, late wine merchant, supplemental div. of [illegible], Sept. 15, at the Official Receiver's, 15, King-st., Gloucester.—Edmund Oliver French, 44, Earlsdon, Coventry, Warwickshire, commission agent, first div. of 2s 6d, Sept. 25, or any subsequent Friday, at 31, West Orchard, Coventry.—Richard Rix, 1, Cranford, Croydon, Surrey, gentleman, first and final div. of [illegible], Sept. 19, at 109, Victoria-st., Westminster.—Henry Thornton, Firth-st., Huddersfield, Yorkshire, joiner, first and final div. of 1s, Sept. 13, and any subsequent Tuesday, at Messrs. Haigh and Sons, New-st., Huddersfield.—Philip Bennett, 132, Fore-st., Ipswich, Suffolk, greengrocer, first and final div. of 6d, Sept. 17, at the Official Receiver's, Ipswich.—William Keeton, Walton, Suffolk, bootmaker, first and final div. of 1s, Sept. 17, at the Official Receiver's, Ipswich.—Richard Edward Harrison, 3, St. Paul's-st., Leeds, Yorkshire, woollen manufacturer, first and final div. of [illegible], Sept. 25, at the Official Receiver's, 22, Park-row, Leeds.—Joseph Frederick Rinder, Pontefract, Hunslet, Leeds, Yorkshire, boot manufacturer, first div. of [illegible], Sept. 29, at 1, Bond-st., Leeds.—James Colvin, Turner-st., Waterloo, Blyth, Northumberland, grocer, second and final div. of 3½d, Sept. 19, at 24, Grainger-st. West, Newcastle-on-Tyne.—William Vowles, 16, Wheeler-gate, Nottingham, hosier, first div. of 7s 6d, Sept. 21, at the Trustee's, 1, King John's-chambers, Nottingham.—Charles Edward Nelson, 7, Highst., Ferndale, Glamorganshire, grocer, first div. of [illegible], Sept. 17, at the Official Receiver's, Merthyr Tydfil.—James Newton, St. John's-hill, Wareham, Dorsetshire, baker, first and final div. of 4s 9d, Sept. 17, at the Official Receiver's, Salisbury.—George Bewken, 34, St. James-street, Doncaster, Yorkshire, joiner, first and final div. of [illegible], Sept. 21, at the Official Receiver's, Figtree-ln., Sheffield.—William Fox Rodgers, deceased, late 7, Crabtree-ln., Sheffield, Yorkshire, stationer, second and final div. of [illegible], Sept. 24, at the Official Receiver's, Figtree-ln., Sheffield.—Samuel Shipsey, Epworth, Lincolnshire, contractor, first and final div. of 1s 6½d, Sept. 24, at the Official Receiver's, Figtree-ln., Sheffield.—Fred Slater, 6, Ondon-ln., Pitsmoor, Sheffield, Yorkshire, agent, first and final div. of 1s 1½d, Sept. 24 at the Official Receiver's, Figtree-ln., Sheffield.—Philip Howard Mompesson, Harlow Vicarage, Tonbridge, Kent, clerk in holy orders, first div. of 1s, at Oct. 1, at 86, Mount Pleasant, Tunbridge Wells.—James Ivens, 32, Market-place, Warwick, cabinetmaker, supplemental div. of 1½d, Sept. 13, at the Official Receiver's, 17, Hertford-st., Coventry.—Thomas Johnston, 1, Market-pl., Egremont, Cumberland, ironmonger, first div. of 9s, Sept. 17, at the Official Receiver's, 67, Duke-st., Whitehaven.

SCOTCH SEQUESTRATIONS.

Mrs. Isabella Hardie, or Lamb, 19, West George-st., Glasgow, confectioner.—Mrs. Janet Ewing or Greenlees, 16, Ballsbury-st., Glasgow.

AUCTION SUMMARY—THIS DAY.

ALDRIDGE'S, at St. Martin's-lane, horses.—Messrs. BULLOCK, at twelve, at 211, High Holborn, furniture.—PUTTICK and SIMPSON, at 11.30, at 47, Cheapside, bulbs.—J. C. STEVENS, at 12.30, at 38, King-street, W.C., bulbs.—A. W. TAYLOR, at two, at 5, Osborne-villas, Putney, furniture.—W. MOREHEAD, at one, at 28, High-street, Streatham, furniture.—SHERMAN, WILLSEA, and Co., at one, at 67, Mall-road, Hammersmith, furniture.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC RETURNS.

	Miles open. 1888.	Miles open. 1887.	Receipts. 1888.	Receipts. 1887.
Bengal and North-Western, Aug. 11	570	570	Rs.34450	Rs.32021
Bengal Central, Aug. 11	125	125	11811	12023
Rohilkund and Kumaon, Aug. 18	55	55	5619	4136
South Indian, Aug. 4	664	664	£5368	£4873

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EUROPE UNDER ARMS.

THE MILITARY MANOEUVRES.

[TELEGRAMS FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.]

MUNCHEBERG, Sept. 13.

Shortly after seven o'clock this morning the Emperor left his head-quarters at the picturesque little town of Muncheberg, and rode off towards Trebnitz to meet his guests, who came down from Berlin in a special train.

The number of Royal personages present had been increased from yesterday by the arrival of the King of Saxony, Prince Christian, his son, Prince Christian Victor, and the Crown-Prince of Greece making the cortege which accompanied his Majesty even more brilliant than before.

The Kaiser wore the uniform of the Hussar-regiment which he formerly commanded, and he has made his [illegible] while the King of Saxony was in the uniform of the Ninth Dragoons with the Field-Marshal's badge on his epaulets. Prince Christian was in [illegible] uniform, and Prince Christian Victor in that of the Sixtieth Rifles.

Among the distinguished officers who were riding about I noticed Count Gleichen.

In the manoeuvres which followed the Emperor commanded in person the whole of the Guards corps, which had been strengthened by two divisions of Cavalry belonging to the Third Army-corps.

The enemy, which was again represented by a skeleton army, lay to the South-West, commanded by General von Versen. The action began by a magnificent Cavalry engagement, the twelve regiments of the Guards driving the enemy back. The Kaiser's plan of attack was masterly, and the manner in which he concentrated his fire on that of the enemy no less than the skill with which he used his Cavalry to protect the advance of his infantry showed that he had a thorough knowledge of the principles of the Art of War.

The action was ended as it began by a Cavalry charge, in which the six regiments on the Kaiser's right-wing turned the flank of the enemy and routed them.

After the critical remarks which followed, a parade took place, in which the Princes who held Prussian commands marched past the Kaiser at the head of their regiments, while his Majesty returned the compliment by passing and saluting them at the head of his favourite Hussars.

The soldiers looked all the more martial begrimed with dust as they were, and their marching—especially that of the First Footguards—was simply splendid; while among the cavalry the Green Hussars were most conspicuous.

The Kaiser remains at Muncheberg, and will, perhaps, visit Hoppegarten, where the cavalry are bivouacking to-night.

VIENNA, Sept. 14.

The Army-manoeuvres at Belovar have been highly satisfactory. The excellent condition of the troops, and their admirably-organised attacks, repeatedly called forth expressions of approval from the Emperor.

The Maxim machine guns appear to be finding the same favour on the Continent as in England. It has lately been decided to adopt these guns in Austria, Russia, and Italy, more especially for frontier fortifications.

In Russia it is now contemplated arming the Cossacks with these weapons mounted on a light cavalry carriage capable of following the men everywhere. Should these terrible engines—which are capable of firing 600 shots per minute with marvellous accuracy—come into the hands of the wily Cossack hordes, they will in the next war strike more terror than did the famous Uhlans during the Franco-German Campaign. The collapse of the Cossacks was one of the most remarkable features of the last Turco-Russian War. They lacked assurance, and were evidently not efficiently armed. It is doubtless in view of remedying this defect that the Russian military authorities are thinking of providing them with the Maxim gun.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

BELOVAR, Sept. 14.

The manoeuvres in this district concluded to-day, and the Emperor Francis Joseph, accompanied by the Prince of Wales, left for Godollo in the afternoon amidst the enthusiastic cheers of the inhabitants.

ATHENS, Sept. 14.

The Italian squadron left the Piraeus at daybreak, for the purpose of performing some manoeuvres.

Another Italian squadron is expected to arrive here shortly.

DOMINION OF CANADA.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAM.]

MONTREAL, Sept. 14.

An indignation meeting was held here last night to protest against the action of the Dominion Government in vetoing the Quebec District Magistrates' Bill. The meeting was one of the largest ever held in this city, it being estimated that about 10,000 persons were present.

The Hon. H. Mercier, Premier of Quebec, delivered a speech in which he declared that the veto was an insult to the province. The same act had been adopted in other provinces and never vetoed. The present Act had been vetoed simply because it came from Quebec, and because that province was Catholic and French Canadian. The Premier concluded as follows: "Sir John Macdonald desires revenge on the province, and is beginning the fight. We regret this, but we will not retreat. The Province of Quebec must not be treated with disdain. The magistrates who have been appointed will remain in office."

The Hon. W. Laurier also spoke, strongly condemning the veto, which he declared was a slap at the province and should not be tolerated.

Both speakers were enthusiastically cheered.

Before the meeting broke up a resolution was unanimously adopted condemning the action of the Federal Government.

THE ITALIAN NAVY.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAM.]

TURIN, Sept. 14.

Admiral Brin, Minister of Marine, who represents this city in the Chamber, was entertained at a banquet by his constituents this evening. In reply to the toast of his health, the Minister compared the condition of the navy in 1886 with that of the present time. "To-day," he proceeded, "all is changed. We had then 60 vessels, valued at the most at 100,000,000 lire, but now we have 102, as well as 108 torpedo boats, their total value being 300,000,000 lire." The Minister declared "that the recent naval manoeuvres attested the fact that Italy could arm a considerable portion of her fleet without having recourse to extraordinary means for recruiting officers and sailors. Those who desired a more rapid development forgot that Italy thought only of her own defence, and did not aim at an aggressive policy." He pointed out the necessity for providing all that was required for the navy by means of the national industry. Great progress had been made in supplying the material for the Re Umberto, the Sicilia, and the Sardegna, which had been fitted entirely by the national workshops. Admiral Brin, in conclusion, declared that the present state of the navy was very satisfactory, adding that its efficiency would always increase so long as the work already begun was continued.

THAMES WATERMEN AND THE CORPORATION.—Yesterday afternoon, a deputation of Thames watermen and ferrymen waited upon the Bridge House Estates Committee of the Corporation, at the Guildhall, to present a memorial setting forth the injuries caused to their calling by the new Tower Bridge works. The deputation was headed by Mr. F. Wigington, general secretary of the Amalgamated Society of Watermen and Lightermen, and consisted of Messrs. C. Burgess, John James, and John Finch, of the Tower Stairs; John Watts, John May, C. Macnarrence, and W. Riley, of the Custom House Stairs; J. E. Lawes, of the Battle Bridge Stairs, and W. Babbington, of the Pickle Herring Stairs. The memorial pointed out that the watermen and ferrymen were not only duly licensed, but were also freemen of the City, and that they were being deprived of the means of livelihood owing to the difficulties and dangers attending the navigation of large vessels, through the obstructive nature of the new bridge works. The consequence was that the trade of the Upper Pool was now diverted lower down the river to the Millwall and St. Katharine Docks, and the ferrymen between London Bridge and the Tower were suffering great privations from want of employment. The disturbance of the ferry traffic was particularly marked at the Custom House Stairs, inasmuch as the General Steam Navigation Company's steamers, to avoid the risk of damage to the bridge works or to the steamers themselves, were discharging their cargoes at the St. Katharine Docks. In the course of conversation the deputation suggested that a grant of £20 or £30 might be made to each ferryman in order to enable them to purchase boats suitable for plying up and down the river, as otherwise they and their families would be reduced to a state of starvation. Mr. Loveridge, the chairman of the committee, assured the men that they had the full sympathy of the Corporation, and that their memorial would receive as favourable consideration as possible.

SCENE IN COURT.—At West Bromwich yesterday, George O'Brien, an American Irishman, was again remanded, charged with the attempted murder of George Henry Jackson by firing a revolver at him on Aug. 22. Jackson deposed that the prisoner to the best of his knowledge was the man who fired at him. O'Brien declared his innocence, and a desperate struggle took place in court between him, the police, and his brother, the latter declaring to have evidence called to prove the prisoner's innocence. A sister of the prisoner swooned, and a number of Irishmen in court behaved rather excitedly. It took about eight officers to get the accused to the cells.

NEWS FROM VIENNA.

THE KAISER AND THE BISHOP.

[TELEGRAM FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

VIENNA, Sept. 14.

The Emperor of Austria and the Prince of Wales leave Belovar this evening for Godollo.

After a brief stay at the Chateau of Godollo the Prince of Wales will go to inspect the Hussar Regiment quartered at Gyongyos, of which he is honorary colonel. His Royal Highness will proceed thence on a visit to Count Tassilo Festetics, at whose charmingly situated Chateau on the shore of Lake Balaton the Prince will remain until the 22nd of this month, when he will return to Vienna.

With regard to the Strossmayer incident, it is a well-known fact that the Bishop is an ardent champion of the Panslavist cause in Eastern Europe, and that he is a diplomatist and strategist of no mean order. Thirty years ago he founded at Diakovar, in the centre of his Slavonian diocese, a "Theological seminary," which was subsequently endowed by the Emperor Francis Joseph. The mission of Bishop Strossmayer's disciples is to nationalise the Roman-Catholic Church, or to make Papal Catholicism in the East thoroughly Servian at heart by bringing about a coalition with the scattered communities of the Latin Church in Slav Provinces now occupied by Austria, and in the debateable vantage ground lying beyond the "Black Mountain." So popular is the offending prelate amongst the Slavs of the Province of Slavonia that immediately after the despatch of his memorable telegram to Kieff became known he was received in the Croatian town of Krenz by his Panslavist brethren as the ideal hero and champion of their cause. A torchlight procession, followed by a serenade, greeted his arrival, and the wives and daughters of his enthusiastic adherents took a conspicuous part in the demonstration by singing national songs for his entertainment. The prelate has long been a staunch opponent of the policy pursued by the Governments of Austria and Hungary.

In expressing his loyalty to the dynasty, he simply endeavours to assimilate his destructive political theories to the principles of Patriotism. His partisans in the Eastern, Southern, and Western Provinces of the Dual Empire have for years past made use of him to further the interests of Russia which they have in hand. As a powerful pillar of a mighty Church he has sheltered his fanatical allies, and has preserved them from molestation and defeat. No sooner, however, had the Emperor uttered the blighting words at Belovar than the Panslavist press—and in particular the Czech organs of Bohemia—left the bishop in the lurch to be driven forth as a scapegoat into the Wilderness of Panslavism.

The newspapers devoted to the Panslavist interests in Austro-Hungary are manifestly petrified and paralysed by the blow his Majesty has dealt to the Sacred Cause, which occupies at the present moment throughout the Monarchy a position that can only be described as critical. The Panslavists of Austria-Hungary, though numerically strong, are collectively weak, owing to the isolation of their geographical positions, which, in separating them from one another, hold them in check, and render impossible any attempt to establish unity, and to realise their day-dream of emancipation from the yoke of Austria and from the "Magyarizing" policy of Hungary.

Every country has its own peculiar customs. Whilst Englishmen are now disputing every day in the columns of *The Daily Telegraph* whether marriage is a failure or not, the Russian peasant lives quietly at home and sells his wife if it please him so to do. Fielding, in one of his novels, makes one of his loose gallants stake the possession of his wife for one night with a designing gambler; and when the die was cast and lost, the reckless husband was forced to hand over the keys of his lodging to his rival; but in the story before us, a peasant thoroughly sober, if a Russian peasant can ever be properly called so, gave his wife wholly and entirely to a creditor in discharge of a debt he was unable to pay—and the debt was not a very large one. The peasant in question had owed a neighbour for a considerable time the sum of thirty roubles (about £3 in English money). The creditor, as is often the case, became tired of waiting, and pressed his claim at a time when the luckless debtor had nothing in his cash-box. In his favour, it must be said, that when pushed into a corner he bethought himself of the most precious object in his scanty home—his wife—and offered her to the claimant in lieu of the thirty roubles. It is reasonable to suppose that the proffered consort was somewhat comely, for the proposal was immediately accepted by the impatient creditor, who happened to be a widower, and willing to try the yoke of married life again. In order to make the compact more legally binding, the wife-vendor summoned all his friends from the village to meet at the inn, where he treated them all to "vodki." When the shades of night came on the purchaser withdrew stealthily from the hilarious company. Driving straight to his friend's house, he communicated to the wife in the name of her former husband the changed state of affairs; and she, without further questioning, accompanied him to his home. For some reason not stated, she thought proper to go back again the next morning. The creditor, however, was not in such a hurry to rid himself of his bargain, and hastened with witnesses, who were present when the compact was struck, to fetch his property back again. Arrived at his neighbour's house, however, he met with a warm reception from the former husband and his sons. After a fierce conflict had taken place the mayor of the village arrived on the scene, and with the help of his officers succeeded in capturing the rival husbands and the fair object of their strife, and placing them in confinement to await the decision as to rights of possession, which will in course of time be delivered by the local court.

THE CZAR OF RUSSIA.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

NOVAYA PRAGA, Sept. 14.

The Czar and Czarina, accompanied by the Czarewitch and the Grand Dukes George Alexandrovitch, Vladimir Alexandrovitch, and Nicholas Nicolaievitch, left here at three o'clock yesterday afternoon for Spala, in Russian Poland.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 14.

According to the *Grashdanin*, the Czar intends to spend a short time hunting in the Spala Forest.

A largely-attended town's meeting, held at Birmingham last night, and presided over by the Mayor, heartily endorsed the invitation to the National Rifle Association to select Cannock-chase as the site of their future meetings. It was announced in the course of the proceedings that Lord Wolseley would shortly visit Birmingham to distribute prizes to the local volunteers.

The Winter Session of the Charterhouse Science and Art Schools and Literary Institute will commence on Monday, Oct. 1, 1888, under the presidency of the Rev. Henry Swann, M.A. During the late session upwards of 1,000 students, mostly elementary teachers, availed themselves of the privileges afforded by this institution, and of this number nearly 700 presented themselves for examination, and were successful in obtaining a large number of class certificates and also a fair number of honours certificates, awarded by the Science and Art Department of South Kensington.

On Thursday the traffic receipts of the Suez Canal amounted to 150,000f, against 60,000f on the corresponding day of last year.

SUNDAY CLOSING IN WALES.—In his annual report to the licensing magistrates of Cardiff, just presented, the chief constable showed that while in 1884, the year before the passing of the Sunday Closing Act, the number of persons proceeded against for drunkenness on Sunday was only 43, since that date the number has largely increased, amounting in some years to 118, 127, and 139 cases. A large percentage of the drunkenness, he states, is due to bogus clubs and illicit drinking-houses. During the past year the aggregate amount of the fines inflicted upon bogus club-keepers amounted to £1,000, while the fines for illicitly selling beer at private houses reached £220 10s. Owing to a recent decision many of the clubs which had been closed had recently reopened, and there were now 31 in the borough.

BIRTH IN AN EXPRESS TRAIN.—An unusual incident has occurred in an express train on the Trent Valley Railway. A married lady connected with one of the most aristocratic and respected Warwickshire families left London with her husband in a first-class carriage of the night express, and after the train had passed Rugby the lady was suddenly taken ill and prematurely confined. When the next stopping place was reached the lady was removed from the carriage and everything possible done for her. Although she now lies in a weakened state she is progressing favourably.

MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE.—A mysterious disappearance was reported on Thursday night from the Ostend boat on its arriving at Dover. It appears a gentleman named Primrose, residing in Piccadilly, crossed with a friend to Dover by the night boat, which leaves Ostend between eight and nine o'clock. He was all right on board about ten minutes before she reached Dover, but upon the vessel putting alongside the Admiralty Pier he could not be found. It is supposed that he fell overboard. Inquiries are being made.

EVICTIONS.—At an early hour yesterday morning a staff of bailiffs, accompanied by forty policemen under the command of a police inspector and a resident magistrate, proceeded from Westport to Clare Island on board the gunboat Britomart, to carry out there a large number of evictions at the instance of the Misses M'Donnell, of Westport, the owners of the island. This morning the eviction party disembark at Louisburgh, where they commence an eviction campaign on Lord Sligo's estate.

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THE "SERVIAN SCANDAL."

[TELEGRAM FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

VIENNA, Sept. 14.

It seems that the recent conference between King Milan and the former Servian Prime-Minister, M. Ristics, at Abazzia, had reference to the "Royal divorce question." Eight years ago, when unseemly differences first arose between their Majesties, M. Ristics, who was then in office, succeeded in smoothing them over. He is at present of opinion that Queen Natalie might have accepted the arrangement proposed by the King while she was at Wiesbaden, with some slight modifications in her favour, and he thinks that a similar project might still serve as the basis of a *modus vivendi*. At all events there is little prospect of a prompt termination of the case now before the Consistory, and in the meanwhile a compromise of some kind cannot be regarded as impossible.

It is a question well deserving King Milan's consideration whether Queen Natalie will not be more dangerous for him after a divorce and complete rupture than if some arrangement were brought about.

Public opinion outside Servia does not by any means disculpate the Queen from having given her Consort strong provocation, but it is not generally thought that there is sufficient ground for a divorce.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—Wheat opened ⅛c down, but recovered the decline immediately, December selling from 90¾c to 91c. After some covering by shorts, the closing is steady ⅛c to ¼c up. Corn fell ⅛c at the first call, and has been depressed and irregular on heavy movement from the interior and expected further heavy receipts, closing weak ⅛ to 1c down. Lard opened easy, but hardened later on local buying, and closes steady at a slight gain in values. Pork is a steady market, operators, however, moving with caution, the closing being steady at a fractional fall. Ribs have been in better demand, and close steady, 5 points up for near and 7½ points down for distant months. Bacon steady but quiet. Light hogs are 5 points down, and heavy hogs unchanged. The provision market has ruled steadier throughout.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Stocks opened strong, but afterwards declined. Subsequently a strong reaction set in. Later, however, the market again weakened, but rallied towards the close, and left off firm. Money easy. Petroleum easy. Flour dull, and lower. Sugar strong. Tin and iron firm, but quiet.

Wheat fell ⅛c at the opening, early sales resulting at 100 for December and 104½ to 104¾ for May. The market fell off on foreign selling, but reacted later on supporting orders from Western operators, and with a good export trade the closing is steady, ⅛c down for May, but otherwise unchanged. Corn was easy, and ⅛c lower at the opening. Heavy receipts and free sales by holders had a depressing effect, and with a light export inquiry the market closes dull, 1⅛c to 1⅜c down. Lard opened quiet, and has given way on local sales to realise. There was a moderate cash trade, and the market closes steady at the quotations. Coffee opened 10 points down for October and November, and 15 points down for December. The last-named position sold immediately at 11.10. A heavy trade was put through, and, with free purchases for bear account, the closing is strong, at a slight advance. Cotton—A firmer market, with more inquiry for near months, closing steady 4 to 7 points up. Petroleum—Pipe Line Certificates opened quiet, at 93⅛, and have again been subject to free selling, and close weak at 92⅛c. Copper has ruled strong, with nothing offering, closing at 17.10 for October.

	Yesterday's Prices.	To-day's Prices.
Call Money, U.S. Government Bonds	2½ p.c.	1½ p.c.
Call Money, Other Securities	2½ p.c.	1½ p.c.
Exchange on London, Sixty Days	4 84½	4 84½
Cable Transfers	4 89	4 89¼
Exchange on Paris (60 days' sight)	5 23¾	5 23¾
Exchange on Berlin (60 days' sight)	94¼	94¼
Four per Cent. U.S. Funded Loan	129¼	129¼
Western Union Telegraph Shares	85¼	85½
Canada Southern Shares	51½	51¼
Canadian Pacific Shares	56¼	56¼
Central of New Jersey Shares	89¼	89¼
Central Pacific Shares	36¼	36
Chicago, Burlington, and Quincy	112⅛	111¼
Chicago and North-West Ordinary	113	111¼
Chicago and North-West Pref. Shrs	140	139
Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul Shrs	66¼	64¾
Chicago, Milwaukee, &c., Preferred	106¼	105
Delaware, Lackawanna, and Western	142¼	141¼
Denver and Rio Grande Shares	21	20
Illinois Central Shares	118	117
Lake Shore and Michigan Southern	98¼	96¼
Louisville and Nashville Shares	59¼	59⅛
Michigan Central Shares	85¼	85¼
Missouri, Kansas, and Texas Shares	13½	13
New York, Lake Erie, and Western	28⅞	28½
New York, ditto, 2nd Mort. Bnds	100¼	100¼
New York Central and Hudson River	108¼	108¼
New York, Ontario, and Western	17¼	17¼
Northern Pacific Common Stock	28	27¼
Northern Pacific Preferred Stock	61¼	61¼
Norfolk and Western Pref. Shares	56¼	57
Ohio and Mississippi Shares	24¼	24¼
Oregon and Trans-Continental	29¼	29¼
Philadelphia and Reading Shares	52¼	52¼
St. Louis & San Francisco Com. Shrs	32¼	32¼
St. Louis & San Francisco Pref. Shrs	71¼	—
St. Louis & S. Francisco First Prf. Shrs	112¼	112
Union Pacific Shares	60	60
Wabash, S. Louis, & Pacific Com Shrs	14¼	14¼
Wabash, S. Louis, & Pacific Pref. Shrs	26¼	26¼
Cotton, Day's Receipts at U.S. Ports	6,000	9,000
Cotton, Day's Export to Great Britain	11,000	4,000
Cotton, Day's Export to Continent	1,000	1,000
Cotton, Middling Upland, on spot	10¼	10¼
Petroleum, Crude	6¼	6¼
Petroleum, Standard White	7¼	7¼
Petroleum, Pipe Line Certificates	92¼	92¼
Spirits of Turpentine	38¼	38¼
Lard, Wilcox's	10 10	10 10
Lard, Wilcox's Futures (Oct. del.)	10 10	10 10
Lard, Fairbank's	10 10	10 10
Tallow, Prime City	5¼	5¼
Sugar, Fair Refining Muscovadoes	5¼	5¼
Corn, New Western	55¼	54¼
Wheat, Spring, No. 2, Chicago	98¼	98
Wheat, Red Winter, on spot	98	97¼
Coffee, Fair Rio, on spot	15¼	15¼
Coffee, Good Rio, on spot	15¼	15¼
Flour, Extra State Shipping Brands	3.30 3.50	3 25 3.45
Iron, Coltness, No. 1	21 00	21 00
Tin, Straits	22 90	22 80
Steel Rails	29	29
Copper Oct. delivery	16 75	17 10
Freight Petroleum to United Kingdm.	*3s 10½d	†3s 10½d
Freight for Grain, stra. to L'pool, pr bl.	4½d	4½d
Freight ditto London, do.	6d	6d
Freight for Cotton to Liverpool	¼	¼
PHILADELPHIA.		
Pennsylvania Railroad Shares	55¼	55¼
Petroleum, Standard White	7¼	7¼
NEW ORLEANS.		
Cotton, Middling, on spot	10	10

* † To arrive 5s.

PRICES FOR FUTURE DELIVERY.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.

COTTON.—September, 9.70; October, 9.74; November, 9.74; December, 9.74. 1889—January, 9.80; February, 9.88; March, 9.97; April, 10.05; May, 10.13. Sales, 83,700 bales.

WHEAT.—September, 97¼; October, 97¾; November, 99; December, 100¼. 1889—January, —; February, —; May, 104¾. Receipts Atlantic ports, 370,000 bushels. Clearances: Atlantic ports, 290,000 bushels. Sales Futures, 8,248,000 bushels; spot, 352,000 bushels.

CORN.—September, 53¼; October, 52¾; November, 52¼; December, 50¼. 1889—January, 48¼. Receipts: Atlantic ports, 120,000 bushels. Clearances: Atlantic ports, 90,000 bushels. Sales: Futures, 2,928,000 bushels; spot, 111,000 bushels.

COFFEE.—September, 12.70 to 12.75; October, 12.20 to 12.25; November, 11.65 to 11.70; December, 11.25 to 11.30. 1889—January, 10.95 to 11.00; February, 10.95 to 11.00; March, 10.90 to 10.95; April, 10.85 to 10.90; May, 10.90 to 10.95, June, 10.90 to 10.95. Sales: 73,700 bags.

LARD.—September, 10.18; October, 10.10; November, 9.34; December, 8.92. 1889—January, —. Sales: 5,000 tierces.

PETROLEUM.—Sales: 2,439,000 barrels; Pipe Line runs, 45,000 barrels. Shipment from regions, 92,000 barrels.

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.

WHEAT.—September, 90¼; October, 89¾; November, 90¾; December, 91. 1889—May, 95¼. Receipts: Western Points, 550,000 bushels.

CORN.—September, 44; October, 43¼; November, 41; December, 38¾. 1889—January, 36¾; May, 38¾. Receipts: Western Points, 420,000 bushels.

LARD.—September, 9.97½; October, 9.97½; November, 9.02½; December, —. 1889—January, —.

PORK.—September, 14.22½; November, 13.72½. Year, 13.65. Ribs: September, 8.67½; October, 8.67½. 1889—January, 7.02½. Bacon: Halves, clear middle, 9.00; light hogs, 5.90; heavy hogs, 6.50. Hogs: Receipts, Western Cities, 21,000; Chicago, 10,000.

Shocks of earthquake, though of no great violence, continue to be felt in Greece, at Vostitza and the neighbourhood.

A Reuter's telegram, dated Melbourne (Victoria), Sept. 14, states: "In the course of the debate in Committee of the Budget in the Legislative Assembly, to-day, the country party, coalescing with the Opposition, carried a proposal for an increase of 1s per cental in the duty on barley and oats, and also for an increase in the duty on horses and sheep. Ministers thereupon announced that they must consider the position created by the adoption of these amendments to their Budget proposals."

Dated St. Petersburg, Sept. 14, a Reuter's telegram says: "A law has been promulgated ordering that the Customs officers on the frontier of Turkestan shall, wherever it is considered necessary, be armed with swords and revolvers."

MR. RAIKES, M.P.—Speaking at a large gathering of the Primrose League, held at Hawkstone yesterday, the Postmaster-General said it was a matter for congratulation that, almost for the first time for many months, the Liberal newspapers had made no statement for them to contradict, and had published no calumny for them to set aside. The oracles were dumb, and supporters of the Government had simply to congratulate themselves upon the successes achieved.

FESTIVAL OF THE THREE CHOIRS.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

HEREFORD, Friday Night.

Very few words will suffice concerning the concert of miscellaneous music given in the Shire Hall last evening, and largely attended. It was mainly an occasion for the vocal artists, but the orchestra had an interesting share in it, and played the overtures to "Euryanthe," "A Midsummer Night's Dream," and "The Merry Wives of Windsor," essentially popular works which could not fail to please. In the same category appeared a gavotte and minuet for strings, composed by Mr. C. Lee Williams, organist of Gloucester Cathedral. These pretty trifles are excellent things of their kind, and are marked by daintiness and quaint grace in an unusual degree. Mr. Williams is known to be an able composer, for which reason an important work from his pen is anticipated at these festivals with interest. The solo vocalists who took part in the concert were Miss Anna Williams, Madame Enriquez, Mr. Lloyd, Mr. Banks, and Mr. Brereton, the Leeds chorus supplying, after their own admirable manner, a number of concerted pieces, under the direction of Mr. Broughton.

Handel's "Messiah" this morning closed the Cathedral performances, according to immemorial usage, and in the good old fashion a multitude came out to hear the undying work. Madame Albani, Miss Hilda Wilson, Mr. Banks, and Mr. Santley were the soloists. There is really nothing of note to say respecting the performance, which was of the ordinary kind, and no doubt gave a great deal of satisfaction to an audience who must have come prepared to be pleased. The attendance rose in point of numbers to the second place of the week, the first being held by that of Wednesday evening, when 1,700 persons entered the Cathedral. This morning the tale stopped short at 1,638—just sixteen less than in 1885, and 165 fewer than the average of three previous occasions. On the other hand, the contributions went up with a great bound, reaching the very respectable figure of £331—an advance of £162 upon 1885, and of £25 upon the average. Hardly had the "Messiah" performance closed before Mr. Capner, the energetic and obliging secretary, had ready a complete statement of results, exclusive of the secular concerts, which are treated separately. From it I learn that the aggregate attendance has been 6,620, as against 7,236 three years ago; but this is far in excess of the average of the three festivals preceding namely, 5,842. The drop, as compared with 1885, may no doubt be attributed to influences just now of some force in agricultural districts. Contributions to the fund for the relief of widows and orphans of the clergy amount to £800 2s 5d, and, with sums sent direct to the treasurer, is expected to attain the average of little more than £1,000. On the whole, therefore, both as regards patronage and charity, the festival is a gratifying success.

The Festival performances ended this evening with a concert of Chamber Music in the Shire Hall, which was crowded in every part. The Friday night concert is peculiar to Hereford, and had its origin many years ago, when the late Cathedral organist, Mr. Townsend Smith, arranged a performance of the kind above-named in the Hall of the College belonging to the Vicars Choral. The attendance was for a long time more select than numerous, and it is evidence of great musical progress in this part of the country that now the Chamber Concert takes place in the largest available room, and is patronised by a crowd of amateurs. Two string quartets formed the staple of the entertainment—Beethoven's No. 1, Op. 18, and Mendelssohn's No. 1, Op. 44—the executants being Mr. Carrodus, Mr. Bernard Carrodus, Mr. R. Blagrove, and Mr. C. Ould. In addition, the two violinists, father and son, played their favourite Spohr Allegro in G minor, and Mr. Carrodus gave a really admirable performance of Bach's Chaconne in D minor. Never within my experience has our English artist played that difficult work in a more faultless manner. He was heard at his very best. Miss Ambler and Miss Hilda Wilson contributed some songs in a very pleasing style, and the Leeds singers again delighted everybody with part-songs and madrigals. So came to a most agreeable end the Hereford Festival of 1888.

SENTENCE ON MR. WM. REDMOND, M.P.

The prosecution of Mr. Wm. Redmond, M.P., was continued yesterday before Messrs. M'Leod and Bodkin, removable magistrates, in the Court House, Wexford. The charge was one of inciting to resist the sheriff on the occasion of the eviction of Thomas Somers, on Aug. 16, at Coolroe. At the opening of the case Mr. Redmond said that Mr. Leamy, who was the leading counsel for the defence at the previous sitting, had been called away on business, and if anything had to be done in connection with the remainder of the case he would do it himself. Mr. Ryan, in replying on behalf of the Crown, said that the evidence was quite clear that Mr. Redmond arrived on the scene during the attempt of the bailiffs to get possession of the house under the warrant which was entrusted to them for execution. They had it that Mr. Redmond, both by word and gesture, encouraged the people to continue their resistance. Practically the evidence was all on one side, and there was no defence.—After an absence of about three-quarters of an hour the magistrates sentenced Mr. Redmond to three months' imprisonment, without hard labour, in Wexford Gaol.—Mr. Redmond, rising, said: As my counsel, Mr. Leamy, has been unfortunately called away, perhaps I may be allowed to say for myself that I do not intend to appeal from the sentence you have just passed. Perhaps you will allow me, under the circumstances, to say why I don't propose to appeal.—Mr. M'Leod: It is a very unusual course.—Mr. Redmond: All I want to say is that I suppose you have done your duty in sentencing me. I undoubtedly cheered these men when they were defending their homes against unjust evictions, and I should cheer every man who defends his home against an unjust eviction. (Loud cheers in court.)—Mr. M'Leod: Clear the court and remove the prisoner. The court was then cleared. Mr. Redmond was subsequently removed to Wexford Gaol.

With reference to an article which appeared in our issue of the 13th ult., founded on the case of Mrs. Caroline Burry, the proprietress of the milkstall in St. James's Park, her solicitors write to point out that she "pays nearly £150 a year for rent, and her business, although small in comparison with others, cannot be carried on without proportionate capital, and she is therefore not a person who can be properly styled as being 'only one degree removed from a pauper.'"

SUGAR BOUNTIES CONVENTION.—A special general conference of representative workmen connected with the docks, wharves, shipping, sugar, and the allied branches of the British Home and Colonial Industry was held last night at the Bridge House Hotel, London Bridge, for the purpose of discussing the recently-signed convention for the suppression of the foreign sugar bounty system. The chairman (Mr. W. J. Harris), in submitting a memorial urging upon the Government to obtain the speedy sanction of both Houses of Parliament to the principle and terms of the International Treaty, expressed his opinion that money would flow in thousands and millions when the measure, which was at present inoperative, was passed. He stated that there were only three refineries in the East-end of London, whereas there used to be thirty. He thought it was only reasonable to suppose that if the Act could be passed there would be about fifty factories, employing some 50,000 people, in London alone. He reminded the delegates present that the population during the last twelve years had well-nigh doubled, and that the class of people seeking work in the sugar factories had very much increased. There were once ten factories in Bristol, and now there was only one. In Greenock there were only five, as against seventeen of former years, while in Glasgow, Manchester, Sheffield, and Plymouth the factories had become altogether exterminated, and this notwithstanding the fact that there was a greater demand for sugar now than there had ever been before. The Chairman said he thought it would be for the benefit of Ireland if sugar refineries were established in that country.—Mr. Hill (president of the National Association for the Advance of the British Industries) then moved the following resolution: "That this Conference, representing the British, Home, and Colonial labour, humbly thanks Lord Salisbury, Baron Henry de Worms, and the other British Plenipotentiaries, for the efforts made by them in securing the suppression of the Foreign Bounty system, and this Conference most earnestly appeals to her Majesty's Government to urge Parliament to ratify the International Treaty, so that employment may be found for thousands of our working population."—The motion was seconded by Mr. F. Wigington, and supported by Captain T. S. Lemon (president of the Amalgamated British Workmen's Society).—Mr. T. M. Kelly (secretary to the conference) stated that the memorial to Lord Salisbury was signed yesterday in all the large cities of the United Kingdom, while 467,000 trades unionists had also signed the memorial. The resolution was carried.

THE NAVY.—After serving two commissions on the North America and West Indies Station, the gunboat Bullfrog, 4, Lieut.-Commander John Masterman, was yesterday paid off at Devonport, and the crew were granted the usual leave. She is to undergo a refit and serve as tender to her Majesty's ship Hercules. At the Admiralty, yesterday, the following appointments were announced: Commander—Henry Leah, to the Vernon, additional (to date 13th inst.). Lieutenants—Saumarez Dacre Lacy, to the Inconstant, Henry Joseph Keane, to the Humber; Charles Arnold Buckland, to the Nymphe (all to date 14th inst.). Staff-Commander—Gerard Talbot Napier, to the Galatea (to date 14th inst.). Mr. James M'Craw, to be Surgeon and Agent at Killibegs and Tribane (to date 14th inst.).

EDUCATION IN ENGLAND, FRANCE, AND GERMANY, AT EXACTLY THE SAME COST AS IN ENGLAND ALONE.—HAYSMAN'S SYSTEM OF INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION. Founded 1862. Mr. Haysman attends [illegible] on Wednesday. 1. Commercial or Professional Education. Ages of pupils 7 to 16. Preparation for Army, Legal, and Medical Exams., if required. 2. Pupils can study entirely at Finchley-road, London, or may go for short or long periods to Paris, Boulogne, or Germany, without any extra charge, trouble, or anxiety to parents. 3. Only Boarders received at Anglo-French and German College, Finchley-road, London, also at Paris, Boulogne, Bonn, Hanover. 4. Daily pupils at International Coll., Finchley-rd., and Richmond. 5. North London and Metropolitan railways issue tickets at reduced fares to Daily Pupils from all parts of London and the suburbs. 6. In Paris a house where there are ten French pupils to one English. Entire care of youths from Spain, India, America, Colonies. Address Secretary, Anglo-French College, Finchley-road, London. Pupils are also received abroad to study French or German only. N.B. Pupils start for Paris, Boulogne, &c., Sept. 15 and 22.—(ADVT.)

THE SECRET OF SUCCESS.—Important to All.—"A new invention is brought before the public, and commands success. A score of abominable imitations are immediately introduced by the unscrupulous, who, in copying the original closely enough to deceive the public, and yet not so exactly as to infringe upon legal rights, exercise an ingenuity that, employed in an original channel, could not fail to secure reputation and profit."—Adams. Caution. Examine each bottle, and see the capsule is marked "Eno's Fruit Salt." Without it you have been imposed on by a worthless imitation.—All Chemists. Prepared only at Eno's Fruit Salt Works, [illegible], London, S.E., by J. C. Eno's Patent.—(ADVT.)

WHITECHAPEL MURDERS.

STATEMENT BY THE PENSIONER.

The police were yesterday in communication with the pensioner Edward Stanley, who is known to have been frequently in the company of the murdered woman, Chapman. Last night Stanley, who is a man of forty-seven years of age, attended at the Commercial-street Police-station, and made a statement, which was taken down by Inspector Helson. His explanation of his proceedings is regarded as perfectly satisfactory, and as affording no possible ground for associating him in any way with the recent outrage. In view of his relations with the deceased woman, Stanley felt considerable diffidence in coming forward, but after the expressions of opinion by the coroner at the inquest on Thursday, he placed himself in indirect communication with the police. It was by arrangement that he subsequently proceeded to Commercial-street Police Station. Stanley has given the police a full account of his whereabouts since he last saw the deceased woman, which was on the Sunday preceding the murder. Since then he has been following his usual employment, and has taken no steps to conceal his movements. The man is described as superior to the ordinary run of those who frequent the lodging-houses of Spitalfields. He states that he has known Chapman for about two years, and denies that she was of a quarrelsome disposition. So far as he is aware there was no man with whom she was on bad terms, or who would have any reason for seeking her life. Stanley will attend the inquest when the proceedings are resumed, though his evidence is not expected to throw much light on the tragedy. Yesterday morning a telegram was received from the police at Brentford, stating that a pensioner there answered the description of Stanley, and a detective was at once despatched to make inquiries. When, however, the real Stanley had appeared further investigation was abandoned.

A great deal of alarm is still felt in the district, and it has not been mitigated by the publicity given to the story of Mrs. Lloyd, of Heath-street, Commercial-road, who yesterday confirmed its details. According to her statement, on Monday, at about eleven p.m., a man, whom she considered mad, ran down Heath-street, a narrow thoroughfare, pursued by some youths. They called to her, "Look what he has behind him." Mrs. Lloyd ran indoors and armed herself with a poker; but her daughter, a girl of about sixteen years of age, who remained on the step, saw that the man, who crossed the street and peered in her face, held a knife behind him. He was followed by the youths into Commercial-road, and was there lost to view. It is stated that this individual corresponds with a man who was seen on Sunday afternoon, in Flower and Dean-street, by a woman, who says that he carried a large knife. He was short in stature, with a sandy beard, and wore a cloth cap, and he behaved very strangely. Last evening a man named Edward M'Kenna, answering almost exactly to this description, was apprehended by the police, and taken to Commercial-street Police-station. The man gives an address at 15, Brick-lane, Whitechapel. The most suspicious article found upon him was a small table-knife, rather the worse for wear, which M'Kenna asserts he uses for the purpose of cutting his food. According to his own statement, which is fairly detailed, the man has recently been on tramp in Kent, and has only just returned to London. He gains a living by peddling laces and other small articles. The police do not attach great importance to the arrest, but have detained M'Kenna for inquiries. As Mrs. Lloyd and her daughter had not put themselves in communication with the police, and the number of their house in Heath-street had to be ascertained, M'Kenna was not confronted by them last night, but probably will be to-day.

In respect to the pieces of newspaper discovered in Bayley's yard on Tuesday afternoon, where they had been, it was supposed, thrown by the murderer, who had first wiped his hands upon them when standing in the yard of No. 29, Hanbury-street, it has been alleged that they have been subjected to analysis, and the stains upon them proved to be those of human blood. On inquiry at the surgery of Mr. Phillips it was stated that these pieces of paper have not been examined as reported, and the doctor was so satisfied of the real nature of the other so-called bloodstains upon the wall that he has not thought it necessary to analyse the matter submitted to him. Mr. Phillips personally has hitherto withheld information from reporters upon conscientious grounds, and Inspector Abberline himself says that the surgeon has not told him what portions of the body were missing. From independent testimony it has been gathered that the description of them would enable the jury, if not the public, to form some idea of the motive of the singular crime, and at the same time it would perhaps enable the police to pursue their investigations on a wider basis, and probably with the object of showing that the guilty man moves in a more respectable rank of life than that to which the larger proportion of the inhabitants of Spitalfields and Whitechapel belong.

The funeral of Annie Chapman took place early yesterday morning, the utmost secrecy having been observed, and none but the undertaker, police, and relatives of the deceased knew anything about the arrangements. Shortly after seven o'clock a hearse drew up outside the mortuary in Montague-street, and the body was quickly removed. At nine o'clock a start was made for Manor Park Cemetery. No coaches followed, as it was desired that public attention should not be attracted. Mr. Smith and other relatives met the body at the cemetery. The black-covered elm coffin bore the words, "Annie Chapman, died Sept. 8, 1888, aged 48 years."

STRANDING OF A "P. AND O." STEAMER.—Our Paris correspondent telegraphs: "Telegrams received this (Friday) afternoon from Marseilles state that the English steamer Nepaul, of the Peninsular and Oriental Company, which was bound for India and China, went ashore last night on the Ile de Ratonneau. The vessel struck on some rocks, and a large hole was made in her side. Help was immediately sent from the port, and the passengers, who were sixty in number, were disembarked and taken to the Lazaretto at Frioul. A lamentable occurrence, however, took place during the disembarkation of the passengers. The commander of the vessel, Captain Cole, was so overcome by the accident that he died from an apoplectic stroke. The Nepaul, which is a fine steamer of 1,795 tons, had a miscellaneous cargo on board. It is expected that she will be got off the rocks, and the harbour-master has sent three tugs to her assistance. There are, however, six metres of water in her hold. This is not the only accident which has lately happened to ships at Marseilles. Yesterday, for instance, the steamer Marie Louise, of the Fraissinet Company, which left Marseilles for Naples with 372 passengers on board, had to return to port owing to an accident in the engine room. The chief engineer and a stoker were severely burned in endeavouring to prevent the consequences of the accident from becoming more serious, but the mere rumour of danger had caused a panic among the passengers, and the captain was accordingly obliged to put back to port in order to reassure them." The Peninsular and Oriental Company have received the following telegram from their Marseilles agents: "The Nepaul is safely in harbour, and is now unloading part of her cargo to allow her to enter dry dock at once. The passengers are all well, and will proceed by rail, at the company's expense, to Brindisi, to join the Ballaarat, and will thus suffer no detention."

DISCOURAGING FALSE NEWS.—The story goes that recently a rumour was spread in Jellalabad that Abdul Rahman was dead, but that his officers were carefully concealing the fact, while making their plans to secure the succession for his son. This story gained such credence that the Commander-in-Chief, Gholam Hyder Khan, had some difficulty in disproving it. He, however, swore on the Koran in open Durbar that the report was absolutely false, and he then set himself to work to punish those who had caused the mischief. Two men were arrested, and the evidence against them being quite clear, they were promptly executed. They were blown from guns in the presence of the troops and a great concourse of people.—*Times of India.*

THE REGISTRATIONS.—Mr. O. J. Williamson on Thursday resumed his revision of the City lists, and in going through the lists for the Middle Temple a number of claimants were struck off on the ground that one set of chambers which recently formed part of Essex-street was not now within the City limits. Mr. Gates, Q.C., who has been appointed County Court Judge at Bradford, was successfully objected to. At the Strand Court the Rev. Stewart Headlam claimed, as occupier of No. 8, Duke-street. The claim was contested, and after discussion the matter was postponed. In the Tower Hamlets an assistant-barrister (Mr. Bagshaw) was brought into requisition to help Mr. Williamson, who was apparently overworked by the claims of aliens in Whitechapel. Mr. Bagshaw, on the application of Mr. Seager, issued summonses against several canvassers who were accused of malpractices in reference to the signature of claims. The revision was also continued at Marylebone and Southwark.

THE PIMLICO MYSTERY AGAIN.—Inspector Webber, A Division, attended before the magistrate at Westminster Police-court, yesterday, and stated that the girl Emma Potter, reported missing by her mother, who had expressed the fear that the girl's disappearance might be associated with the discovery of a mutilated limb at Pimlico, had been found and sent home.

NEW RUPTURE APPLIANCES.—Sufferers may save themselves a lifetime of discomfort and suffering by being properly fitted with a perfect appliance. Examination free by a most experienced and skilful surgeon at Harness' Electropathic Establishment, 52, Oxford-street, London, W. (corner of Rathbone-place). Note only address, and call to-day if possible. Pamphlet free.—(ADVERTISEMENT.)

MAX GREGER'S Carlowitz has become very popular. It is unequalled as a light dinner claret. Possessing restorative powers of the higher [illegible], it gives improved appetite and increased digestion. Price for six flagons, containing each half imperial gallon, 21s., bottles from 24s. per dozen.—Max Greger, Limited, Wine Merchants to the Queen, Southwark, S.E.—(ADVERTISEMENT.)

SIR MORELL MACKENZIE, our greatest medical authority, specially recommends the Soden Mineral Pastilles, and they are universally acknowledged the best remedy for affections of the Throat, Chest, and Lungs. Sir Morell Mackenzie's testimonial is affixed to each box.—Of all chemists, 1s. 1½d., or for 15 stamps of Soden Produce Company, Dyers'-buildings, Holborn.—(ADVT.)

MARRIED WOMEN'S PROPERTY RIGHTS.

At the Westminster Police-court yesterday one of the women who applied last Saturday to Mr. Biron for advice, her husband, to whom she had been married eighteen years, having as she alleged since deserting her sold property which she herself acquired, the sale of a bed for 5s being mentioned in particular, again attended before his worship to obtain some form of protection from the court, her husband persisting in annoying her.

Mr. Biron: Has he threatened you with violence?

Applicant: No, sir; but to take the remains of my home away. I don't think, sir, you could have quite understood me last week, because I have seen in a newspaper that the law would give me protection.

Mr. Biron: You are right in your supposition that some misapprehension took place with regard to the application you made last week, and my remarks have been interpreted in a sense I never intended them to convey. There is no question about the terms of the Married Women's Property Act of 1882. Probably it is a statute as well known as any which has been passed, and it is one that a police magistrate is asked to give an opinion upon over and over again. Let there be no mistake about it this time. It is perfectly true that Sec. 5, which relates only to women married before Jan. 1, 1883, seems, roughly speaking, to have the effect of making all property to which their title accrues after the Act their separate property, and of leaving them in precisely their old position with respect to property to which their title accrued before that date; but Sec. 12 gives every woman, whether married before or after the passing of the Act, the same civil, and—subject to some limitation applying only to her husband—the same remedy and redress by way of criminal proceedings for the protection and security of her own separate property as if she was a single woman. You can even sue your husband.

Applicant: I don't want to do that. It would be no good.

Mr. Biron: I am telling you that you might bring an action against your husband, assuming that the property, the sale of which you complained, was bought by you out of your own earnings.

Applicant: But I have no means, sir. I said so last week.

Mr. Biron: Precisely. You cannot bring an action against your husband, not because you are not entitled to do so by law, but because you have no money. A poor woman like you cannot take proceedings in equity for the same reason, and it, therefore, all comes to what I summarised, perhaps a little too tersely, the other day, when I said that you had no remedy. Practically you have none. That is my view of the law. But if your husband is guilty of personal threats or violence the law can and will protect you.

Applicant thanked his worship.

WILLS AND BEQUESTS.

Probate of the will, dated March 11, 1884, of the Hon. Laura Maria Grattan, commonly called Lady Laura Grattan, late of 11, Eaton-square, and of Tinnehinch, county Wicklow, who was a daughter of William, Lord Huntingtower, and widow of the Right Hon. James Grattan, M.P., has been granted to the surviving executor, her brother, the Hon. Algernon Gray Tollemache, the other executor named in the will having been the testatrix, late brother, the Hon. Frederick James Tollemache. The testatrix bequeathed to Mrs. Pauline Bellew-Grattan £2,000; the furniture and household effects and live and dead farming stock at Tinnehinch, the plate bearing the Grattan crest and four pictures by Jardin, and the portrait of Mrs. Tighe, by Romney, from the house in Eaton-square, for her life, and on her death for her son Sir Henry Bellew-Grattan, grandson of the Right Hon. Henry Grattan; and the remainder of her plate the testatrix bequeathed to Lady Huntingtower for her life, and on her death to Mr. Arthur Frederick Churchill Tollemache. The remainder of the furniture and household effects at Eaton-square the testatrix bequeathed to Lady Huntingtower absolutely; certain family diamonds and pearls in trust for Mr. Arthur Tollemache and his son who shall first attain the age of twenty-one years, and for Lord Dysart and his son; and the residue of her personalty in trust to pay the income for his life to the testatrix' brother, the Hon. A. G. Tollemache, and on his death to Mr. Arthur F. C. Tollemache for his life, and on his death for all his children in equal shares. All her real estate the testatrix devised in trust for her said brother for his life, with remainder for her said nephew and his son who may first attain the age of twenty-one years, and contingent remainder for Captain Anastatius Eugene Tollemache; and the value of her personal estate is declared at £63,792 15s 1d.

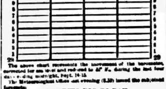
Probate of the will, dated March 8 last, of the late Mr. Frederick Cazenove, of Queen's Park-gardens, and of Warfield-grove, Bracknell, who died on July 29 last, aged fifty-two years, has been granted to the executors, the Rev. Arthur Cazenove, of St. Mark's Vicarage, Reigate, Mr. Edward Cazenove, of the Stock Exchange, and Mr. Augustus Charles Lee, of Codrington-place, Brighton, to each of whom the testator bequeathed £100; to his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Agnes Cazenove, £1,000, all the plate, pictures, furniture, and household effects, horses and carriages, in and about his two residences, and the use for her life of either of them, with the income of a sum of £50,000. He bequeathed to his son, Mr. Reginald Frederick Cazenove, when thirty years of age, £30,000; to his son Percy, when thirty years of age, £20,000; and in trust for each of his daughters, Constance Margaret, May Eleanor, Gertrude Susan, and Lilias Beta, £20,000, to pay the income thereof to her for life, with power of appointment to her. The testator bequeathed to a servant £100, and to each of his three sisters, so long as she remains a spinster, an annuity of £33. He devised and bequeathed all the residue of his property, real and personal, in trust to pay the income thereof to his said wife for her life, and on her decease for division amongst all his children in equal shares. The value of the personalty is £182,677 16s 9d.

Probate of the will, with a codicil, made June 20 last, of the Right Hon. Harriet Dowager Baroness Gerard, of Twyford Abbey, Ealing, who died on July 20, and was the eldest daughter of the late Mr. Edward Clifton, of Lytham, has been granted to the executors, her nephew, Mr. Frederick Gerard, of Kinwarton House, Warwick, and Sir John Lawson, Bart., of Brough Hall, Catterick, Yorks, to each of whom the testatrix bequeathed £100; to Lord Gerard, £1,000; to her sister, Miss Charlotte Clifton, £100; and to her daughters, the Hon. Monica Mary Oliphant and the Hon. Katherine Frances Gosselin, her jewellery, furniture, and household effects. All the residue of her property the testatrix devised and bequeathed in equal shares to her son, the Hon. Robert Joseph Gerard, and her said two daughters; but, as to the share of Mrs. Oliphant in trust subject to her appointment, or, in default of appointment, to her for life, and on her decease, for division amongst her children. The value of Lady Gerard's personal estate has been declared for probate at £29,321 7s 2d.

The will, dated Oct. 5, 1873, has been proved of the late Mr. William Johnstone Newall, of South-street, Park-lane, and Cannon-street, London, who died on July 26 last, aged eighty-six years. He was the last surviving partner of the firm of McCalmont Brothers and Co., which was established in 1835. The testator, whose will is in his own handwriting, left all the property he might die possessed of, "here and elsewhere, real and personal, in short, everything," to his brother, Mr. Robert Stirling Newall, of Ferndene, Gateshead-on-Tyne, manufacturer, and his assigns for ever, and as the testator did not in his will name any executor, administration has been granted to his said brother, the residuary legatee, by whom the value of his personal estate has been declared at £257,365 13s 3d.

The will of Mrs. Emma Mary Ann Maria Knowles, widow of the late Sheridan Knowles, the well-known dramatist, who died on May 10 last, was proved on Aug. 25 by Richard Brinsley Knowles, Emma Webb (the niece), and Heber Coghlan, the executors, the value of the personal estate exceeding £5,000. The testatrix bequeaths £1,000 each to the Pastors' College in connection with the Metropolitan Tabernacle, the Midnight Meeting Movement (Red Lion-square), and the Stockwell Orphanage for Boys (Clapham-road); £100 to the minister, deacons, and elders of Ardberg Baptist Chapel (Rothsay, Isle of Bute), for general purposes; £300, and all the manuscripts and writings and the interest arising from the acting of the dramas of James Sheridan Knowles, to Mary Knowles Rice; £500 to her niece, Mrs. Emma Webb; and other legacies and specific gifts. The residue of her property she leaves to her said niece, Emma Webb, absolutely.

"DAILY TELEGRAPH" WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.



The above chart represents the movement of the barometer, corrected for sea level and reduced to 32° F., during the last four days ending midnight, Sept. 14-15.

The Meteorological Office last evening (8.30) issued the subjoined forecasts:

PROSPECTS FOR TO-DAY.

Districts.		Forecasts.
0. Scotland,	N.	S. breezes, moderate; fine, warm.
1. Do.	E.	
2. England,	N.E.	S.E. breezes, light; fair, close.
3. Do.	E.	
4. Midland Counties.		S.E. to S.W. breezes, light; close, unsettled, possibly some rain and thunder.
5. England (with London and Channel).	S.	
6. Scotland,	W.	
7. England (and N. Wales),	N.W.	Same as Nos. 0 and 1.
8. England (and S. Wales),	S.W.	Same as No. 5.
9. Ireland,	N.	S.E. winds; fine settled [illegible] of late, some rain.
10. Do.	S.	

ROBERT H. SCOTT, Secretary.

LATEST INDICATIONS.

"DAILY TELEGRAPH" OFFICE, SATURDAY (2 a.m.)

Bar.	Therm.	Wind.	Weather.
30 10 Falling.	60°	E.S.E. Calm.	Clear.

Our correspondents forward the following latest telegraphic reports:

BRIGHTON.—Bar. 30·28; wind E.N.E.; fine, clear, warmer.
HASTINGS.—Bar. 30·15, falling; wind S.E., light; bright and warm.
EASTBOURNE.—Bar. 30·197, falling; therm. 60·4°; wind S.E., gentle; fine.
FOLKESTONE (9.0 p.m.).—Bar. 30·09, steady; wind S.E., light; weather fine; smooth passage across Channel.
HOLYHEAD.—Bar. 30·190; wind S.S.E., light; misty; sea smooth.
KIRKWALL (ORKNEY).—Bar. 30·35; therm. 62°; wind S.S.E., strong; fine.
PARIS.—Bar. 30·14; therm., 70°; very fine.
PRAWLE POINT (dusk).—Wind E., fresh; very hazy; sea moderate.
CORK.—Bar. 31, falling; rain at midnight.
DOVER.—Bar. 30·13, falling; wind calm; weather fine; sea smooth; steamers had good passages.

According to the indications this morning, warm and showery weather may be expected in the S. and S.W. Districts, fine elsewhere.

"BRAIN SALT" (registered) is the name which accurately describes the newest and most effective remedy for headaches and sleeplessness. It is invaluable to travellers and speedily relieves those suffering from the effects of over-brainwork. Its effect is to quickly refresh those suffering from nervous derangement, migraine, &c. Of chemists, 2s 9d., or post free 3s., from the sole proprietors, F. Newbery and Sons, 1, King Edward-street, Newgate-street, London, E.C.—(ADVERTISEMENT.)

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

CHANCERY DIVISION, Sept. 14.

(Before Mr. Justice DENMAN, sitting as Vacation Judge.)

IN RE J. HINNELL (Deceased), HINNELL v. TINKLER.

The defendant has been confined in Wandsworth Prison since April last for contempt of Court in not obeying an order of Mr. Justice Kay to pay into Court £1,124. The defendant was a trustee and executor of the estate of the late J. Hinnell. A motion was made to-day to release the defendant, who, it was said, had enabled his co-trustee to pay the whole of the money. There was no opposition, and

His lordship ordered the defendant's release, and directed him to pay the costs incurred.

COURT OF BANKRUPTCY, Sept. 14.

(THE OFFICIAL RECEIVER'S DEPARTMENT.)

RE JOHN GODWIN SMITH.—An adjourned meeting of creditors was held to-day. The debtor carried on business as "C. Smith and Son," gold lacemen, 5, New Burlington-street, and as "J. Wright and Co.," accoutrement manufacturers, 5 and 6, Old Burlington-mews. His gross liabilities were returned at £80,698, £42,331 being unsecured, and the assets at £7,244. A committee which was appointed at the last meeting reported against the adoption of a proposed composition of 2s in the pound, and it was resolved to wind up in bankruptcy.—Mr. Henry Wm. Johnson was appointed trustee.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

BOW-STREET.—THE JEWELLERY ROBBERIES.—*Robert Holroyd Gent*, giving no address, and describing himself as a draper's assistant, was brought up on remand on the charge of stealing a large quantity of jewellery and other valuables from different private hotels in Bloomsbury. The case was before the Court on Wednesday last, when the facts were reported, and since then the police have succeeded in recovering a large amount of the stolen property. Further evidence was adduced, and, in applying for another remand, Inspector Conquest stated that there would be a great many more charges against the prisoner from all parts of the country.

MARLBOROUGH-STREET.—IN SEARCH OF A DAUGHTER.—*Margaret Elmore*, 69, was charged with behaving in a disorderly manner at Berners-street.—Police-constable Holding, 269 D, said that at three o'clock in the morning he saw the woman in Berners-street lying on a doorstep fast asleep. He woke her up and told her that if she were homeless she should go to the workhouse, but she replied that she was not going there, and commenced to shout "Police!" and "Murder!" so he took her to the station.—The prisoner, in her defence, said that it was quite true that she was asleep on a doorstep, but she was sitting, not lying, down as described. She heard the sound of voices, and then the policeman came to her and shook her and otherwise handled her very roughly. She was in the habit of going out late at night to see if she could find her daughter, who some time ago was taken by someone to Belgium, and who, she had been informed, had returned to England, and was now walking the streets. She had, in fact, seen her twice. There was no occasion for her to go to the workhouse as her brother, who was a merchant in Cuba, allowed her £25 a year, besides which she received £16 from another source, and a gentleman paid her rent.—Mr. De Rutzen observed that the constable could not possibly know her history, which appeared to be a sad one. If she had gone home when requested there would have been no trouble. Under the circumstances she would be discharged.

AN AREA LODGING.—*Jeremiah O'Conner*, a decently-attired young man, who described himself as a labourer, of no home, was charged with being a suspected person found in the area of the Earl of Derby's mansion, in St. James's-square.—The evidence was that about a quarter past nine o'clock last night the prisoner was seen by a woman to climb the area railings and drop below. She called the attention of one of Lord Derby's servants to the fact, and he and a constable found the prisoner concealed in the dustbin. He declined to give an account of himself, except that his address was London, and said that he went into the area for a night's lodging. There was nothing in the area that he could steal, and the door into the house was locked.—On the application of the police he was remanded.

MARYLEBONE.—DARING SHOP ROBBERY AT THE WEST-END.—*Charles Paul*, 22, described as a groom, was charged before Mr. Cooke with stealing fifteen gold watches, worth £220, the property of Mr. Benning Arnold, a watchmaker and jeweller, of 72, Baker-street, Portman-square. The evidence was that during Thursday afternoon the prisoner went into the prosecutor's shop and inquired of Miss Pethwick, who was temporarily in charge, what would be the cost of mounting a florin. On the table at the rear of the shop lay a tray of gold watches, and, catching sight of them, the prisoner bounded across the shop, took up the tray, and was making for the street door, when Mr. Arnold entered from his private apartments. Seeing him the prisoner seemed to be alarmed, and, in attempting to quicken his pace, his foot caught against the leg of a chair, and the tray was upset. The prisoner ran into the street with Mr. Arnold in pursuit. After a chase he was captured and handed over to the police.—The prisoner, in reply to the charge, said he knew nothing about it. He was passing along the street and saw two young men. One started running and the other man followed him, and he (prisoner) also followed. The prosecutor stopped him and gave him into custody.—Mr. Cooke committed the prisoner for trial.

WESTMINSTER.—EXTRAORDINARY PROSECUTION.—*Miss Frances Louisa Bond*, governess, and *Miss Ellen Bush*, lodging-house keeper, both well dressed, and giving the same address, 55, Brompton-square, were charged on suspicion, before Mr. Biron, with stealing a gold watch, value £25, in a railway carriage at South Kensington Railway Station from Mr. George Mitchell ("One from the Plough"), marble mason, of 33, Ovington-square, Brompton.—The prosecutor deposed that on Thursday night, shortly before eleven, he left the Irish Exhibition at Olympia with his little daughter, and they proceeded to Addison-road Station to journey to South Kensington. The accused got into a third-class carriage at the station first named, and he (Mr. Mitchell) stepped into the same compartment. At that time his watch was safely attached to his chain, and at Earl's-court a person dressed as a clergyman got in the carriage, which was full, and stood up in front of and close to witness. When this gentleman alighted at Gloucester-road prosecutor felt almost positive he had his watch, but at the next station—South Kensington—where both ladies rose to leave the train, it was gone. A moment before he missed it Miss Bond pushed between him and his daughter and hurriedly left the carriage. Miss Bush was still in the carriage when he noticed his chain hanging, and exclaimed "I have been robbed of my watch." He could not be positive whether any one else left the compartment.—Mr. Biron: It is most important.—Prosecutor said he could not recollect. He followed the accused from the station to Brompton-square, hesitating to charge them on suspicion. The women were very indignant, abused him, and said his object was to extort money. He gave them in custody, although they continued to protest their innocence.—Inspector Bantick, B Division, said the prosecutor pressed the charge at the station, and the ladies were searched; but they had nothing about them except their own watches, trinkets, and purses. He believed both ladies to be respectable persons. Miss Bush had resided for some years at her present address, held the lease of her house, and her cousin (Miss Bond) who was charged with her, was on a visit from Somersetshire. Witness did not put either of the accused in a cell, and accepted their own recognizances to appear to answer the charge.—Mr. Biron said it was clear that they ought not to be detained. Prosecutor had evidently made a mistake, and the accused would be discharged.

CLERKENWELL.—JEM SMITH TREATS A CABMAN.—*Joseph Burke*, 30, a cab-driver, badge No. 256, was charged before Mr. Horace Smith with being drunk whilst driving his horse and cab in Caledonian-road, Islington.—Police-constable Buxton, 235 Y, stated that at half-past five on Thursday morning he saw a hansom cab standing in Caledonian-road. The defendant was sitting on the box, apparently asleep. On going up to the cab witness saw that Burke was drunk, and he also saw "Jem Smith, the champion pugilist," sitting in the cab. The cabman told witness that his fare had given him some drink.—Mr. Horace Smith, the magistrate, said it was very wrong of a fare to give his driver drink in this way. He would like to have a person who did this brought before him, and he would tell him what he thought of such conduct.—The defendant said the constable's statement was correct. He had been driving about Jem Smith, the champion fighter, who stood him some champagne, which overcame him.—Mr. Horace Smith ordered the defendant to pay a fine of 10s.

SOUTHWARK.—RUFFIANLY TERRORISM.—*Benjamin Quinnell*, 27, a labourer, was brought up, on remand, before Mr. James Sheil, charged with stabbing Mary Watts.—The prisoner has been remanded from time to time in consequence of the absence of the prosecutrix, who did not appear in answer to a summons, and was now brought to the court on a warrant. She stated that the reason she had stayed away was that she went in fear of prisoner's companions, and believed her life to be in danger. She was a charwoman.—Mr. Sheil: Where is the woman Davis, who saw the prisoner commit the assault?—Police-constable Doran said [he had tried to find her, but could not. There was a summons out for her attendance.—Mr. Sheil (to prosecutrix): We have had a great deal of trouble to get you here; now tell me where Davis is to be found—you know?—The Prosecutrix: I do not. I saw her after I had failed to attend last time, and she was very angry with me for not coming here against this scoundrel; but she has moved away, and I do not know where she is. I tell you the truth. The prisoner has so many friends who would injure me that I go in fear of my life.—Mr. Sheil: This is such a serious case that the woman Davis must be found and brought here, and I will grant a warrant for her arrest. There must be no failure of justice in a matter of this kind. The prosecutrix must be looked after, so that she may be free from molestation. The prisoner was remanded for a week.—The Prisoner: Will you take bail?—Mr. Sheil: Certainly not.

HAMMERSMITH.—A VALET'S PERQUISITES.—*Edward Sharp*, a butler, was brought before Mr. Paget, charged, on his own confession, with robbing his employer, Mr. Neville Lubbock, brother of Sir John Lubbock, residing in Earl's-court-square.—Detective-sergeant Drew, F Division, deposed that on Thursday evening he found the prisoner detained at Hammersmith Police-station. He told him he had given himself up for stealing some things, the property of his master. He said, "Yes, two coats, vest, a pair of boots, a pair of trousers, and six shirts." On the way to the station prisoner said, "Mrs. Lubbock sent for my wife this morning and told her I must have taken the things, and if I did not bring them back she would put the matter in the hands of the police. My wife is very queer, suffering from heart-disease, and sooner than have the police coming to the house, frightening her, I thought I had better give myself up."—Prisoner now said he wished to state, in extenuation, that the articles enumerated were left-off clothes. It was usual to allow valets to keep left-off clothes as perquisites. He admitted that he ought not to have taken the boots.—Mr. Paget remanded him for a week.

ALLEGED POLICE PERSECUTION.—*James Buckingham*, a cabdriver, was summoned by the police for wilful misbehaviour during his employment, and for using offensive language to a constable in Seagrove-road, Fulham. Evidence having been given in support of the charge, defendant pleaded for justice. He said that he joined the metropolitan police in 1848, and was dismissed in 1862 through reporting an inspector and Irish sergeant. Since then his life had been made miserable. He applied for a licence, but it was refused, and they tried to starve him out and accused him of thieving, but that he had never done. The animosity in Scotland-yard was strong against him. It was a disgrace, and the police were rotten to the core.—Mr. Paget: Have I listened enough to you?—The defendant: I will leave it to you.—Mr. Paget imposed a fine of 40s, with 2s costs.—The Defendant: Will you allow me time to pay it?—Mr. Paget: No.—The defendant, who was ordered to be imprisoned for one month in default, said he had seven little children and a horse outside the court. He was then removed.

THE MAJOR AND HIS DAUGHTER-IN-LAW.

At the Bow-street Police-court yesterday, before Mr. Bridge, the case of "Gant v. Gant," in which it will be remembered the complainant, who is the wife of the son of Major Gant, the defendant, charged him with assault, again came on for hearing. The assault was alleged to have been committed at the Constitutional Club, when Mrs. Gant endeavoured to serve the major with an order of Court giving her the custody of her children, she being separated from her husband.

Mr. Hubbard, solicitor, appeared for the complainant; and Mr. St. John Wontner for the defendant.

Mr. Bridge intimated to counsel that the only question with which he had to deal was one of assault. It must, however, be remembered that there was an order of Court giving the custody of the children to the wife, and she was therefore entitled to its benefit.

Mrs. Gant was then called, and in course of cross-examination by Mr. Wontner admitted that Major Gant had always behaved kindly to her.

Mr. Bridge, addressing the complainant, asked her if it would not be better to trust to Major Gant's showing her kindness still. He should certainly advise her not to go on with these proceedings, considering her relationship to the defendant, especially as the latter had expressed on a former occasion his willingness to do all he could in the interests of the children. It might be that she was of opinion that Major Gant was acting improperly in keeping the children from her, and it might be an error on his part. It could be easily understood that the Major might think it a most improper thing for the complainant to follow him into his club in order to serve him with such an order. The children in question were those of a mother separated from her husband at her own desire, and they ought to be educated in such a manner as to suit the views of both parties. Mr. Bridge then suggested that the complainant should withdraw the summons.

Mrs. Gant said that before doing so she should like to have the opportunity of speaking to Major Gant for a few minutes, and the parties, without their solicitors, were accordingly shown into the magistrate's private room.

During their absence Mr. Wontner suggested to the magistrate that he should try and act as peacemaker, and help to effect a satisfactory termination of the dispute.

Mr. Bridge accordingly had an interview with Mrs. and Major Gant.

On his return into court Mr. Bridge said the parties had arrived at terms creditable to both of them. Major Gant felt that the person most interested was the mother, and he would do all in his power to get the children for her. He was anxious they should be properly educated, and it was, therefore, agreed that the children should be sent to a school chosen by him and approved by the mother, he bearing all the consequent expenses. During the holidays half the time of the children was to be spent with the mother and half with the grandfather, this of course being dependent on whether the former had a suitable home for them to go to. When the children were got back the mother was to have charge of them for a month, and she further frankly stated that she had always received the greatest kindness from Major Gant.

Mr. Wontner thanked the magistrate for the trouble he had taken in the case, and, the summons having been withdrawn, the parties to it shook hands and left the court.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

[FROM LLOYD'S, SEPT. 14, 1888.]

MAIL AND STEAMSHIP NEWS.

ADEN, Sept. 12.—The India, from London, left for Colombo, Madras, and Calcutta.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 12.—The Bengore Head left for Glasgow and Belfast.

[illegible], Sept. 14.—The Canada, from Colon for Havre, arrived.

CAPE TOWN, Sept. 13.—The Gulf of Venice, from London for Adelaide, Melbourne, and Sydney, arrived.

COLOMBO, Sept. 14.—The European, from Muscat for Calcutta; the Natal, with the inward French mails from Japan, China, Batavia, Singapore, and Calcutta for Aden and Marseilles; and the Yangtse, from Marseilles for China and Japan, left. The Tibre leaves to-morrow for Calcutta.

COLON, Sept. 11.—The Ferdinand de Lesseps left for Marseilles.

DARTMOUTH, Sept. 14.—The Hawarden Castle, for Cape Colony and Natal, left with mails, &c. She will call at Madeira for telegrams.

DEAL, Sept. 14.—The Murrumbidgee, from Sydney for London, passed through the Downs.

[illegible], Sept. 13.—The Cipero, from London, arrived.

DOVER, Sept. 14.—The Polynesia, from Baltimore; the Maroon, from Jamaica for London; the Ocean, from New York; and the Karamania, from Calcutta for London, passed.

DUNGENESS, Sept. 14.—The India, from Hamburg, passed.

GIBRALTAR, Sept. 13.—The Caledonia left for New York.

GLASGOW, Sept. 14.—The Devonia, for New York, and the Clan M'Donald, for Bombay, left.

GRAVESEND, Sept. 14.—The Murrumbidgee, from Sydney for London Dock, and the Dunbar Castle, from Table Bay for East India Dock, passed. The Sargasso left for Barbadoes.

KING GEORGE'S SOUND, Sept. 14.—The Oceana left.

LISBON, Sept. 13.—The [illegible], from London for Kurrachee and Bombay, passed Cape Carvoeiro. Sept. 14.—The Manauense, from Liverpool, leaves to-morrow for Para.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 14.—The Lake Winnipeg, from Montreal, and the San Ignacio de Loyola, from Manila, arrived in the Mersey. The Hector left the Mersey for Vera Cruz.

LIZARD, Sept. 14.—The America, from Bremen for Baltimore; the Medway, from Barbadoes for Southampton, and the Schiedam, from Amsterdam for New York, passed.

MALAGA, Sept. 12.—The Olinde Rodrigues, from Marseilles, left for the West Indies and Colon.

MALTA, Sept. 14.—The Kistna, from London for Zanzibar; the Ballaarat, from London for Sydney; and the City of [illegible], from the Clyde for Calcutta, arrived.

MARSEILLES, Sept. 14.—The Lockslay Hall, from Kurrachee for Liverpool, arrived.

MOVILLE, Sept. 14.—The Parisian, from Quebec, arrived.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The Ems, from Bremen; the Hammonia, from Hamburg and Havre; and the Rotterdam, from Rotterdam, arrived. Sept. 14.—The Lydian Monarch, from London, arrived.

OPORTO, Sept. 11.—The [illegible] left for Para.

PERIM, Sept. 12.—The Armenia, from Bombay, left for Liverpool. The Cachar, from China, called. The Cyclops, from the Clyde and Liverpool for China; the Mira, from Calcutta for London; and the Australia, from Probolingo for Genoa, passed.

QUEBEC (by cable).—The Lake Nepigon, from Liverpool; the Corean, from the Clyde; and the Baumwall, from Hamburg, arrived.

QUEENSTOWN, Sept. 14.—The Pavonia, from Liverpool, left for Boston. The Celtic, with despatches, &c., from New York, left for Liverpool.

RIO JANEIRO, Sept. 13.—The Biela left for New York.

ST. CATHERINE'S POINT, Sept. 14.—The British Queen, from Boston for London, and the Grasbrook, from Montreal, passed.

SUEZ CANAL, Sept. 14.—The Austral, from London, left Port Said for Australia. The Sutlej, from London for Bombay; the Chusan, from London for Calcutta; and the Pallas, from Liverpool for Calcutta, left Suez. The Clan Macarthur, from Calcutta for London, left Port Said. The Cuzco, from Sydney for London, and the [illegible], from Pondicherry for Marseilles, arrived at Suez. The Chicago, from Middlesbrough and Hull for Bombay, arrived at Port Said.

VIGO, Sept. 13.—The Elbe, from River Plate and Brazil, left for Southampton.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 14.—The New York City arrived for Rouen.

CAPE TOWN, Sept. 14.—The Tongariro, with mails, &c., from London, left for New Zealand.

COLON, Sept. 13.—The West Indian arrived.

DEAL, Sept. 14.—The Antilles, from London for St. Kitts, and the British Queen, from Boston, &c., for London, passed through the Downs.

DOVER, Sept. 14.—The Leipzig, from Bahia for Bremen, passed.

FAME POINT, Sept. 14.—The Vancouver passed for Quebec and Montreal.

FATHER POINT, Sept. 13.—The Oregon passed for Liverpool.

GRAVESEND, Sept. 14.—The Karamania, from Calcutta for Tilbury Dock, passed. The Ocean King left for New Orleans. The Maroon, from Jamaica for West India Dock, passed. The Iberia left for Sydney.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 14.—The Parisian, from Montreal; the Barrowmore, from Baltimore; and the Potosi, from Valparaiso, arrived in the Mersey. The Bellerophon, for Penang, &c., left the Mersey. The Celtic, from New York, arrived off Holyhead. The Lake Ontario and the Toronto, both for Montreal, and the Magellan, for Valparaiso, left the Mersey.

MALTA, Sept. 14.—The Partan, from the Clyde for Hong Kong, arrived.

MELBOURNE, Sept. 14.—The Wilcannia and the Orizaba, both from London, arrived.

MOVILLE, Sept. 14.—The Devonia, from Glasgow for New York, and the Sarmatian, from Liverpool, left for Quebec.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—The Adriatic, from Liverpool, arrived.

OLD HEAD OF KINSALE, Sept. 14.—The Egypt, from Liverpool for New York, passed.

PERIM, Sept. 14.—The [illegible], from Bombay, and the Telemachus, from Shanghai, arrived.

PLYMOUTH, Sept. 14.—The Medway, from the West Indies, &c., with mails, left for Cherbourg.

PRAWLE POINT, Sept. 14.—The [illegible], from Geestemunde for New York, and the Hawarden Castle, from London for Cape Town, passed.

QUEENSTOWN, Sept. 14.—The Egypt, from Liverpool for New York, passed.

RIO JANEIRO, Sept. 14.—The Araucania, from Liverpool for Chili, arrived.

ST. CATHERINE'S POINT, Sept. 14.—The Shannon, from London for Bombay, and the Pekin, from London for Calcutta, passed.

SUEZ CANAL, Sept. 14.—The steamer Sutlej, from London for Aden and Bombay, with the outward Indian mail, and the Chusan, from London for Calcutta, passed Suez.

OVERDUE.

Concerning the report telegraphed by Lloyd's agent at Coconada, dated Sept. 12, stating that the British steamer Clan Fraser, bound from Galle to Coconada, was then seven days overdue, a telegram has been received from Lloyd's agent at Bimlipatam, dated Sept. 14, 5.18 p.m., stating that the Clan Fraser is anchored in lat. 18 N., long. 84 E., having broken her shaft on Sept. 2. She will be towed to Bimlipatam.

LAW NOTICES—THIS DAY.

BANKRUPTCY.—At the BANKRUPTCY COURT, Lincoln's Inn-fields, before Mr. REGISTRAR BROUGHAM, in Room 20. Application, sec. 16: R. H. Hardcastle, at 11. Petition, at 11. Private sitting: G. Peel, at 12.

METROPOLITAN COURT.—City of London.

COMMISSION CHARGES.—Yesterday afternoon, in the City of London Court, before Mr. E. T. E. Besley, deputy judge, and a jury, the case of "Satchwell v. Samuel" was tried. It was a claim for £17 10s commission, at 5 per cent., on the introduction of a tenant for a shop in Gracechurch-street. The plaintiff appeared in person, and Mr. George Kebbell represented the defendant. In his evidence the plaintiff said he introduced a tenant as requested, and there were interviews to arrange terms; but in the interim the defendant got a better offer, and thereupon he declined to pay the commission sought to be recovered. His Honour (to plaintiff): You have not done anything for the defendant. This is a kind of claim made by auctioneers and estate agents which should be discouraged. It is absolutely discreditable to seek to get money out of a man when nothing has been done for it. Plaintiff: I have done what he engaged me to do. His Honour: Oh, nonsense. If you get offers from forty people, is the commission to be paid forty times over? Plaintiff: There were various interviews. His Honour: You are not a solicitor, and are not entitled to charge for interviews. The defendant was called and stated that he wished to let the shop on a twenty-one years' lease, whereas the gentleman whom the plaintiff introduced wanted it only for three years. Besides, there were objectionable stipulations, and he also objected to the references. Plaintiff: Have you had similar disputes with other auctioneers? Defendant: Never. The Deputy Judge: I don't think the jury will have the least inclination to affirm a principle contended for by auctioneers for some time past, but never approved of by any court of justice—viz., that by introducing one person to talk to another without any result, a charge can be made and enforced. There is not the slightest inkling of evidence to support this claim, which is about as shadowy as could well be imagined. The jury, after a moment's consultation, returned a verdict for the defendant.

THE POLICE AND PUBLICANS.—At Limerick yesterday ten local publicans were fined in various sums for breaches of the Licensing Act. Considerable amusement was caused in court by Police-sergeant Duncan, who prosecuted, stating that the publicans in his district endeavoured to corrupt him in the discharge of his duty by sending him invitations to dinner and tea on Sundays.

A PERILOUS CLIMB.—At Eastbourne this week an adventurous visitor tried to follow the example of a Belgian gentleman, who last week climbed the steep rocks of Beachy Head, 600 feet high from the sea. The visitor, in spite of various warnings, made the attempt and succeeded in getting to about thirty feet from the top when he found that he could neither ascend any further nor descend. His cries brought the Coastguardsmen to his aid, and they eventually rescued him.

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THEATRE ROYAL, COVENT-GARDEN.—Season [illegible] FREEMAN THOMAS'S PROMENADE CONCERTS [illegible]

MADAME ALWINA VALLERIA will SING, THIS EVENING [illegible] FREEMAN THOMAS'S PROMENADE CONCERTS [illegible]

MISS [illegible] FENN will SING, THIS EVENING [illegible] FREEMAN THOMAS'S [illegible]

MADAME BELLE COLE will SING, THIS EVENING [illegible] FREEMAN THOMAS'S PROMENADE CONCERTS [illegible]

MR. HENRY PIERCY will SING, THIS EVENING [illegible] FREEMAN THOMAS'S PROMENADE CONCERTS [illegible]

MR. CARRODUS Solo Violin will PLAY, THIS EVENING [illegible]

FREEMAN THOMAS'S PROMENADE CONCERTS, COVENT-GARDEN. [illegible]

THE ROSE QUEEN WALTZ, by A. G. Crowe [illegible] THIS EVENING, FREEMAN THOMAS'S PROMENADE CONCERTS, COVENT-GARDEN.

MARJORIE WALTZ (F. Bucalossi) and RITZ [illegible] FREEMAN THOMAS'S PROMENADE [illegible]

DRURY-LANE.—Augustus Harris, Lessee and Manager. WILL RE-OPEN on SATURDAY, Sept. 22, [illegible] THE ARMADA [illegible] by Henry Hamilton and Augustus Harris.

THE ARMADA at DRURY-LANE. Winifred Emery [illegible]

THE ARMADA.—Plymouth Sound. The Harvest Home. The Last Load. The Abduction.

THE ARMADA.—Spain. A Suspect of the Inquisition. The Attempt to Seize the "Vixen."

THE ARMADA.—Elizabeth's Court. The News of the Armada.

THE ARMADA.—The Cross at Charing, 1588. View of Westminster Abbey and Holbein-gate. The Trained Bands. Receiving the Volunteers. For Hearth and Home.

THE ARMADA.—The Game of Bowls on Plymouth Hoe. Realisation of the Picture of Seymour Lucas, A.R.A. [illegible]

THE ARMADA.—The Council of War Aboard the Admiral's ship.

THE ARMADA.—The Fight off Calais. The Fireships. The Defeat of the Armada.

THE ARMADA.—The Spanish Inquisition. The [illegible] The Rescue.

THE ARMADA.—Whitehall. A Royal Reward.

THE ARMADA.—The Thanksgiving at St. Paul's. Elizabeth's Triumphal Progress. God Save the Queen. [illegible]

THE ARMADA, at DRURY-LANE, SATURDAY, Sept. 22. Box-office open daily, from ten to six.

CAPTAIN SWIFT.—TO-NIGHT.—"There is some soul of goodness in things evil."—Henry V.

HAYMARKET THEATRE.—Lessee and Manager, Mr. H. Beerbohm Tree. TO-NIGHT [illegible] CAPTAIN SWIFT [illegible]

MORNING PERFORMANCE of CAPTAIN SWIFT THIS DAY, and Saturday Next, Sept. 22, [illegible]—HAYMARKET THEATRE.

ADELPHI.—A. and S. Gatti, Sole Proprietors and Managers.—TO-NIGHT, at eight, THE UNION JACK [illegible] 33rd Time. The theatre lighted entirely by electricity.

ADELPHI.—Mr. WILLIAM TERRISS as JACK MEDWAY, in THE UNION JACK, TO-NIGHT, at eight. Great Success. 33rd Time.

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ADELPHI.—THE UNION JACK.—Mr. J. L. SHINE and Mr. DALTON SOMERS, TO-NIGHT, at eight. 33rd Time.

ADELPHI.—THE UNION JACK.—Mr. LAURENCE CAUTLEY, Mr. HOWARD RUSSELL, Mr. EDWARD LENNOX, &c., TO-NIGHT, at eight. 33rd Time.

ADELPHI.—Miss MILLWARD as ETHEL ARDEN, in THE UNION JACK, TO-NIGHT, at eight. Great Success. 33rd Time.

ADELPHI.—THE UNION JACK.—Miss HELEN FORSYTH and Miss OLGA NETHERSOLE, TO-NIGHT, at eight. 33rd Time.

ADELPHI.—THE UNION JACK.—Miss CLARA JECKS, Miss ELEANOR BUFTON, and Miss DOLORES DRUMMOND, TO-NIGHT, at eight. 33rd Time.

ADELPHI.—THE UNION JACK, TO-NIGHT, at eight. Preceded, at 7.15, by THE LOTTERY TICKET. [illegible] Doors open at seven. Box-office from ten to five.

LYCEUM THEATRE.—Sole Lessee, Mr. Henry Irving.

LYCEUM THEATRE.—DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE.

A NOBLE moral underlies this marvellous tale.—Quarterly Review.

LYCEUM THEATRE.—DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE.

FOR the good which I would I do not; but the evil which I would not, that I practise.

LYCEUM THEATRE.—Mr. RICHARD MANSFIELD in DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE, TO-NIGHT, at 8.15, and THIS (Saturday) MORNING, at 2.30.—Box-office (Mr. J. Hurst) open from ten to five. Seats may be secured one month in advance.

LYCEUM THEATRE.—Mr. RICHARD MANSFIELD.—[illegible]

WILL attract all playgoers.—Pall-mall Gazette. [illegible]

LYCEUM THEATRE.—TO-NIGHT, at 8.15, and MATINEE TO-DAY (Saturday), at 2.30. Mr. RICHARD MANSFIELD in DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE.

LYCEUM THEATRE.—"Lesbia."—On and after MONDAY NEXT, Sept. 17, DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE, at nine. Preceded, at eight, by LESBIA, classical comedy in one act, by Mr. Richard Davey. Lesbia, Miss Beatrice Cameron.

PRINCESS'S THEATRE.—Sole Lessee, Miss Grace Hawthorne; Manager, Mr. W. W. Kelly.—TO-NIGHT, at eight, THE STILL ALARM. [illegible]

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OLYMPIC THEATRE.—Lessee and Manageress, Miss Agnes Hewitt.—TO-NIGHT, at eight, THE TICKET OF LEAVE MAN. [illegible] Mr. HENRY NEVILLE [illegible]

OLYMPIC.—THE TICKET OF LEAVE MAN.—TO-NIGHT, and Every Evening, at eight.—Mr. HENRY NEVILLE as BOB BRIERLY. [illegible]

OLYMPIC.—THE TICKET OF LEAVE MAN.—TO-NIGHT, and Every Evening, at eight. Mr. W. H. DENNY as JIM DALTON. [illegible]

OLYMPIC.—THE TICKET OF LEAVE MAN.—TO-NIGHT, and Every Evening, at eight. Miss AGNES HEWITT as MAY EDWARDS. [illegible]

OLYMPIC.—THE TICKET OF LEAVE MAN.—TO-NIGHT, and Every Evening, at eight. Miss JENNIE LEE as SAM WILLOUGHBY. [illegible]

STRAND THEATRE.—Under the Management of Mr. Willie Edouin. [illegible] KLEPTOMANIA [illegible] ALADDIN [illegible]—STRAND THEATRE.

STRAND THEATRE.—KLEPTOMANIA, Farcical Comedy by Mark Melford, TO-NIGHT (Saturday), Sept. 15.

ALADDIN.—Miss ALICE ATHERTON, TO-NIGHT, at 9.45. KLEPTOMANIA at 7.45.—STRAND THEATRE.

COMEDY and BURLESQUE.—The old Strand Bill TO-NIGHT (Saturday), Sept. 15.—STRAND THEATRE.

ALADDIN.—Miss GRACE HUNTLEY, TO-NIGHT, at 9.45. KLEPTOMANIA at 7.45.—STRAND THEATRE.

STRAND THEATRE.—ALADDIN. Burlesque (written up to date and with new scenery), by H. J. Byron, to be repeated TO-NIGHT (Saturday), Sept. 15.

ALADDIN.—Miss SUSIE VAUGHAN, TO-NIGHT, at 9.45. KLEPTOMANIA, at 7.45.—STRAND THEATRE.

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ALADDIN.—Mr. WILLIE EDOUIN, TO-NIGHT, at 9.45. KLEPTOMANIA, at 7.45.—STRAND THEATRE.

GLOBE.—Mr. Edgar Bruce and Miss Edith Woodworth, Lessees and Managers.—TO-NIGHT, at 8.40, (117th Time), a new play, in four acts, written by Hugh Moss, founded (by permission) on John Strange Winter's popular story.

BOOTLES' BABY (117th Time To-Night), at a quarter before nine. [illegible]

BOOTLES' BABY.—117th Time To-Night.—TRUE COLOURS, by J. F. Hurst, at 7.45. [illegible]

BOOTLES' BABY.—LAST FIVE NIGHTS.

BOOTLES' BABY.—MATINEE, TO-DAY (Saturday), at 2.30 [illegible]—GLOBE THEATRE.

FROU-FROU.—Miss EDITH WOODWORTH as FROU FROU. [illegible] FRIDAY NEXT, Sept. 21, [illegible]

FROU-FROU.—Mr. William Farren, Mr. Arthur [illegible]

FROU-FROU.—Miss Marie de Grey, Miss Henrietta [illegible]—GLOBE THEATRE.

VAUDEVILLE THEATRE will reopen MONDAY EVENING, Sept. 24, with the successful comedy, JOSEPH'S SWEETHEART, [illegible]

SURREY THEATRE.—LAST NIGHT of HUMAN NATURE. [illegible]

PAVILION THEATRE.—MR. BARNES OF NEW YORK. LAST NIGHT, at 8.30, [illegible]

PEPITA and FALKA COMPANIES.—TO-NIGHT, [illegible]

AVENUE OLD GUARD COMPANY (Manager, Mr. H. Watkin), on tour.—This WEEK, CARDIFF. [illegible]

GAIETY THEATRE.—SHE.—A Great Success.— [illegible]

GAIETY.—SHE. A Great Success.—TO-NIGHT, [illegible] a romantic play, from the [illegible] of H. Rider Haggard, [illegible] Manager, Mr. George Edwardes.—GAIETY THEATRE.

GAIETY.—SHE.—Miss SOPHIE EYRE as SHE.

GAIETY.—SHE. MATINEE, TO-DAY, at 2.30.

GAIETY.—SHE. For cast see under clock.

GAIETY.—SHE.—"In earth and skie and sea [illegible]

COURT THEATRE.—Proprietors, Mrs. John Wood and Mr. Arthur Chudleigh. [illegible] MONDAY, Sept. 24. [illegible]

COURT THEATRE.—By special arrangement with Mr. JOHN HARE [illegible]

MAMMA. First time MONDAY, Sept. 24.

MAMMA will be acted by Mr. John Hare, Mr. Charles [illegible]—COURT THEATRE.

ROYALTY THEATRE.—Under the management of Mr. Lionel Brough. [illegible] THE PAPER CHASE [illegible] HIDE AND SEEK [illegible]

OPERA COMIQUE.—Lessee and Manager, F. J. Harris. [illegible] THURSDAY, Sept. 27, [illegible] CARINA.

CARINA.—Music by Julia Woolf. Libretto by [illegible]

CARINA.—Mesdames Camille D'Arville, Josephine [illegible]

CARINA.—Messrs. Durward Lely, G. H. Snazelle, [illegible]

OPERA COMIQUE.—Specially redecorated, upholstered, [illegible] Magnificent scenery [illegible]

COMEDY THEATRE.—TO-NIGHT, at nine, a new farcical comedy, in three acts, entitled UNCLES AND AUNTS, by W. Lestocq and Walter Everard. Preceded by, at eight, BARBARA. Business Manager, Mr. F. F. Bradley.

MR. W. S. PENLEY.—UNCLES AND AUNTS.

THE REFEREE says: "Can you fancy Penley [illegible]

MR. W. S. PENLEY.—EVERY EVENING.

UNCLES AND AUNTS. FIRST MATINEE, TO-DAY (Saturday), Sept. 15, at three o'clock.—COMEDY THEATRE.

CRITERION THEATRE.—Lessee and Manager, Mr. Chas. Wyndham. BETSY, the celebrated Criterion comedy, by F. C. Burnand, THIS EVENING, at nine, with the original cast. Preceded, at 8.15, by THE DOWAGER. [illegible]

BETSY.—TO-NIGHT.—CRITERION THEATRE.

TOOLE'S THEATRE.—PEPITA.

MORNING PERFORMANCE, TO-DAY (Saturday), and Every Saturday, at two.

PEPITA.—"In the part of Pepita Miss Wadman acts and sings with her accustomed vivacity and gracefulness."—The Times.

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PEPITA.—"Perhaps the author has never written a more artistic movement than the bass solo and chorus, 'In the Night.'"—The Daily Telegraph.

PEPITA.—"Be it said that no more perfect ensemble has ever been witnessed in the metropolis. 'Pepita' is a big success."—Standard.

PEPITA.—"The performance of the opera, which is brightly and tastefully mounted, is remarkably smooth, and much applause was bestowed upon it during the evening."—Daily News.

TOOLE'S THEATRE.—"Pepita."—Under the Management of Messrs. Auguste Van Biene and Horace Lingard. [illegible]

SAVOY.—Proprietor and Manager, R. D'Oyly Carte. TO-DAY, at 2, and 8.30, THE MIKADO, Japanese opera, by W. S. Gilbert and Arthur Sullivan. At 7.45, MRS. JARRAMIE'S GENIE. Box-office open from ten a.m. till eleven p.m.

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SAVOY.—LAST WEEKS of THE MIKADO.

AVENUE THEATRE.—Manager, Mr. H. Watkin. THIS EVENING (for the last time), at 7.45, GLADYS, [illegible] DON JUAN JUNIOR, [illegible]

PRINCE of WALES'.—Mr. Horace Sedger, Lessee and Manager; Proprietor, Mr. E. Bruce.—DOROTHY, [illegible]

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DOROTHY.—MATINEE TO-DAY and EVERY SATURDAY, at 2.30.

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MATINEES of SWEET LAVENDER EVERY SATURDAY, at 2.30.—TERRY'S THEATRE.

BRIGHTON THEATRE ROYAL.—Proprietress, Mrs. Nye Chart.—TO-DAY, at two and 7.30, THE SILVER KING. [illegible]

MR. HENRY IRVING, Miss MARION TERRY, and Lyceum Company, THEATRE ROYAL, GLASGOW, TO-NIGHT. [illegible] Lyceum Theatre, Edinburgh, Sept. 24.

MR. WILSON BARRETT on Tour with his London Company. THEATRE ROYAL, NOTTINGHAM, until Sept. 15.

MR. J. L. TOOLE and Company.—BIRMINGHAM, PRINCE of WALES' THEATRE, TO-NIGHT.

DOROTHY PROVINCIAL TOUR.—Henry J. Leslie's Opera Company.—THEATRE ROYAL, WOLVERHAMPTON, TO-NIGHT. [illegible] Performance.

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ST. OLAVE'S UNION.—Contracts.—The Guardians of the above Union invite TENDERS for the SUPPLY of the undermentioned ARTICLES for a period of six months, viz.: [illegible] JOHN C. HAWKINS, Clerk. Guardians' Offices, 55, Tanner-street, Bermondsey, Sept. 14, 1888.

ST. MARYLEBONE.—Contracts.—The Guardians of the Poor will meet at their offices, in Northumberland-street, Marylebone-road, W., on Wednesday, Sept. 26 instant, [illegible] JOSEPH BEDFORD, Clerk to the Guardians. Guardians' Offices, Northumberland-street, Marylebone-road, Sept. 13, 1888.

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PURSUANT to an Order of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster (Preston District), made in the Matter of the ESTATE of RICHARD COOKSON, [illegible] Dated this 11th day of September, 1888. ALEXANDER PEARCE, Registrar.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster (Preston District), [illegible] Dated this 11th day of September, 1888. ALEXANDER PEARCE, Registrar.

SAMUEL PETER EDELSTEN, Deceased.—Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, [illegible] ROBERT DAVIES, SHARP, and KIRKCONNEL, Market-place, Warrington, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

HENRY ALBERT PLATT, Deceased. Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35, [illegible] THOS. HAYWD. BUDD, Executor.

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MISS ELLEN LOGAN, Deceased.—Notice is hereby given, [illegible] CLAYTON, SONS, and FARGUS, 10, Lancaster-place, Strand, London, W.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1869.—In the High Court of Justice. In Bankruptcy. In the Matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by WILLIAM LAWRENCE COMBE, WILLIAM FRANK COMBE, and CHRISTOPHER HATTON, [illegible] JAMES E. BROUGHAM, Registrar.

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Intelligence from St. Paul de Loanda states that Major Barttelot, who followed on the track of Mr. H. M. Stanley to get news of the Emin Pasha Relief Expedition, was shot dead, on July 19, by some members of his own force. A letter from Mr. H. H. Johnston in another part of the paper comments upon this news.

A victory of the Ameer of Afghanistan over the rebel forces of Ishak Khan is reported from Simla.

Telegrams from Marseilles state that the Peninsular and Oriental Company's steamship Nepaul, bound from London to India and China, went ashore on a small island near the mouth of the Rhone. Help was promptly procured, and the vessel was floated and conveyed into the harbour. All the passengers were safely landed, and will proceed by rail to Brindisi, whence they will continue their voyage by another of the company's steamers. Unfortunately the commander of the Nepaul was so overcome with excitement at the disaster that he fell dead in an apoplectic fit.

The Festival of the Three Choirs at Hereford was brought to a conclusion yesterday by the performance of "Messiah" in the Cathedral, followed by a concert of chamber music in the Shire Hall.

A general conference of representative workmen connected with the shipping and sugar trades met at the Bridge House Hotel, London Bridge, last night, and adopted a resolution thanking Lord Salisbury and Baron Henry de Worms for their efforts to obtain the suppression of the foreign bounty system, and urging Parliament to ratify the Treaty recently drawn up.

Mr. William Redmond, M.P., was convicted at Wexford, yesterday, of inciting the people to resist the sheriff on the occasion of an eviction at Coolroe. Sentence of three months' imprisonment, without hard labour, was pronounced. He said he did not intend to appeal.

Edward Stanley, the pensioner who was stated to have been frequently in the company of the murdered woman Chapman, yesterday placed himself in communication with the police and satisfactorily accounted for his movements. He will give evidence at the resumed inquest. A man named Edward M'Kenna was apprehended yesterday on suspicion of being connected with the recent outrages in Whitechapel. It is not believed by the police that he is the real criminal.

Through the offices of Mr. Bridge, one of the Bow-street magistrates, the case in which Major Gant was charged at that court with assaulting his daughter-in-law at the Constitutional Club, was compromised on terms creditable and satisfactory to both parties, and the summons was withdrawn.

Charles Paul, a groom, was charged at the Marylebone Police-court, yesterday, with stealing more than £200 worth of gold watches from the shop of Mr. Arnold, jeweller, Baker-street. He was committed for trial.

At the Stock Exchange prices were flatter. Consols declined ⅛ per cent., and English, Canadian, and Mexican (Vera Cruz) railways were lower. American lines, however, except Milwaukees and a few others, showed steadiness. Several of the Foreign Government bonds gave way. Copper and diamond shares were dull. About £24,000 in gold was sent into the Bank.

MEDIÆVAL Europe, with its "proud Prelates" and masterful Princes at open conflict with each other for the right to shape the destinies of nations, seems far enough removed from us at the present day. Yet secular rulers and ecclesiastical potentates are still men of like passions with their predecessors of the Middle Ages; and now and again the chances of contemporary European politics allow these passions to betray themselves even through the veil under which they are draped, for the most part, by the conventions of modern life. There is a distinct flavour of mediævalism, for instance, about the singular scene which was witnessed a few days ago in the presence-chamber at Pellovar, in Croatia, and in which the principal actors were his Imperial Majesty FRANCIS JOSEF I. of the one part, and Bishop STROSSMAYER, of Diakovar, of the other. The spectacle of an Emperor publicly rating a Prelate at a levee in terms which, allowing for modern differences of style and language, might have been applied to BECKET by HENRY II., is an unlooked-for testimony, if not to the "continuity of history," at any rate to the persistence of the great political issues which have, at one time or other, divided the temporal and spiritual Power in every State of Christendom. "My Lord Bishop," exclaimed his Majesty, addressing the prelate from a distance, and in a distinct voice, which could be heard all over the room, "I have heard with astonishment of a telegram which you sent on the occasion of a non-Catholic festival. At first I would not believe that a subject of mine had written such words, but, to my great regret, I have learned that you did write them. You do not seem to be aware of what a culpable step you have taken against the Church and the State." Thus suddenly called upon to maintain the independence of the spiritual order against the attack of temporal authority, Bishop STROSSMAYER appears to have risen to the occasion. "Your Majesty," he answered, "my conscience is clear." The words in themselves are simple and unassuming enough; but, apparently, there was that in the tone and attitude of the reprimanded Prelate which shocked the assembled courtiers. They gave expression to their sense of his unbecoming arrogance in general murmurs, amid which the Bishop, together with two other Croatian colleagues who had accompanied him to the levee, retired from the Imperial presence. He would seem, notwithstanding his firm demeanour, to be anxious to make his peace with his offended Sovereign, for a little later he called upon the Crown Prince, by whom, however, he was refused an audience. Under these circumstances, a prompt retreat from the scene of his rebuff was clearly the only course open to him. The Bishop accordingly absented himself from the State banquet to which he had been bidden, and quitted Bellovar that evening. His way to Agram lay, however, through that part of the Emperor-King's dominions in which he was most likely to find sympathisers with his Panslavist aspirations; and it is not surprising to hear, therefore, that he was made the object of certain popular demonstrations on his journey home.

What was the precise amount of gravity properly attaching to the Bishop's offence is, of course, a point on which foreigners may well hesitate to pronounce a confident opinion. The obnoxious telegram for which he has been so sharply rebuked was not in itself a message of a particularly clear and unambiguous kind; and much would depend, no doubt, upon the known character, opinions, and antecedents of its author. The occasion of its transmission was a peculiar one. It was despatched by the Bishop to the committee of the religious festival which was held some little while ago at Kieff to celebrate the ninth centenary of the conversion of Russia to Christianity; and in it the Bishop invoked the Divine blessing upon Russia, and prayed that she might "accomplish the world-wide mission with which Providence had entrusted her." A world-wide mission entrusted by Providence to Russia may, of course, signify any one of many things, or, again, it might be a mere high-flown compliment, meaning virtually nothing. Patriotic Austrians, however, and, still more inevitably, jealous Hungarians, would be certain to ascribe to it only one sort of significance. They would say, as, indeed, they have unanimously said, that the world-wide mission of Russia was that of the propagation of Panslavism, and that the particular step in the "accomplishment" of the mission which was in the Bishop's mind was the detachment of Croatia from the kingdom of Hungary, with which it is incorporated, and its union with the other Slavic communities under the Muscovite sceptre. This construction of the episcopal benediction, however, being of course as damaging and dangerous to the Bishop as it is plausible, his friends have naturally been attempting to devise other explanations of his words. Thus, according to one set of apologists, the Bishop was merely alluding to "Russia's mission of Christian apostleship in Central Asia." Considered as a gloss upon the expression "world-wide," this interpellation certainly leaves something to be desired; and Dr. STROSSMAYER himself apparently regards the excuse offered for him as a little "too thin," for he has never uttered a word in confirmation of this theory of his meaning. Another explanation suggested is that the mission to which the Bishop bade God-speed is simply that of effecting the reconciliation of the Orthodox with the Catholic Slavs, and it is by no means improbable that this, or something like this, was the actual intention of the telegram. Unfortunately, however, it would hardly serve the Bishop's cause with the offended Emperor if he were to adopt it, since it would in effect amount to an avowal and glorification of that ecclesiastical policy of which he is the most active promoter, and which is viewed by the Imperial Government with strong apprehension and displeasure. For Bishop STROSSMAYER has been the energetic advocate of the introduction of the Orthodox Ritual into the Catholic Churches of Slavonic countries like Poland, Bohemia, Carniola, Croatia, and Upper Hungary; and has already succeeded in the case of one small Slav community, that of Montenegro, in inducing the Pope to consent to the substitution of the Orthodox for the Catholic Ritual. His well-known aspiration is to procure the extension of a similar privilege to all the Slavonic communities, including those who own allegiance to the Crown of the Emperor-King. So that, if this were the project which he had in his mind in pronouncing his episcopal benediction upon the mission of Russia, it will probably be considered by all but the Slav subjects of FRANCIS JOSEPH that he richly merited the Imperial rebuke.

Meanwhile it is evident enough that the censure pronounced upon the Bishop by the Emperor was intended as an indirect hint to a more exalted personage. It was designed, no doubt, to convey to the Pope that his attitude towards the Slavonic communities in this matter is disapproved at Vienna, and, indeed, that the policy which it appears to foreshadow will meet there with unqualified resistance. To Austria the religious and political questions appear inseparable. Austrians hold, and have no doubt good reason for holding, that to permit the Slavonic races of the Empire to adopt the Orthodox Liturgy would be to pave the way for their becoming completely Russianised in two or three years. Much of the semi-religious, semi-political Panslavist propaganda goes on in an intangible fashion, with which it is impossible for the State to deal; but, when it comes to a Croatian Bishop bestowing his blessing on the foreign Power which is at the head of the movement, the Emperor may well think it time to put his foot down. What this restless Separatist or suspectedly Separatist ecclesiastic will do next is a question on which the opinion of friends and enemies appears to differ; but, unless he resigns his see, as is anticipated in some quarters, he will probably be well advised in taking heed to his ways. It is hardly likely that the Emperor would have adopted so decided a step as that of administering this public reprimand unless he were prepared to follow it up with action in case of contumacy; and it is believed that if the Bishop should defy the Imperial warning the matter will be referred to the Pope, who will be solicited to reduce him to a merely titular dignity, and appoint a coadjutor to discharge the functions and presumably to receive the revenues of the see. Possibly the delinquent Prelate may be reckoning on support at the Vatican, and may have persuaded himself that the Pope will feel himself bound to sustain him in a policy which has obtained Pontifical sanction. It is, however, hardly conceivable that LEO XIII., even with all the well-known liberality of his views, should be willing to give serious umbrage to a Catholic Prince and State, in the interests of a nationality belonging to another and, as strict Catholics are bound to believe, a schismatic branch of the Christian Church, if not a positively heretical communion. It may be that the strength of the feeling aroused by his concessions to Slavonic Orthodoxy will take his Holiness to some extent by surprise. An Italian ecclesiastic, however acute and well informed, might be excused for failing to realise the intensity of that unsleeping jealousy which is the most constant, if not the most prominent, element in the relations between the two Great Powers that at present divide, though in very unequal proportions, the Slavonic inheritance between them. Whether this fact be or be not duly appreciated by foreign statesmanship, lay or ecclesiastical, matters little. To the mind of every subject of the Austro-Hungarian Monarchy who interests himself in politics at all, it is ever-present, dominating all his theories of the European situation, and colouring his view of every political event. From time to time the eternally irreconcilable rivalry between the two States will force its way, as in the present incident, to the surface; but, for the most part, it remains hidden, like those secret forces of physical nature which it so much resembles. A fate as inexorable as that which impels the doomed heroes of Athenian tragedy is bringing Russia and Austria into collision. Diplomacy may delay the moment of impact, but no power, so far at least as human eye can see, is capable of ultimately averting the shock. European statesmanship has apparently no other part to play than that of a spectator. She can only watch and wonder how much time has yet to pass before the glacier-like movement of intrigue gives place to the rush and thunder of the avalanche of conflict.

IN course of the recent meeting of the British Association Miss BUCKLAND read an interesting paper on beads, tracing the geographical distribution of these ornaments, which, strung together in necklaces and bracelets, have for many thousands of years past constituted a sort of international barbaric currency. The fair essayist pointed out that not only had beads been a means of commercial intercourse in olden, as well as modern, times between the races among whom they are found in present use, but that the history of necklaces may fairly be accounted an important chapter in the annals of mankind's trading operations, from unchronicled ages down to our own period. The antiquity of beads appears to have been coeval with that of the stone hatchet and flint arrow-head. Those worn by the European cave-dwellers, perhaps a hundred thousand years ago, were rudely fashioned of the teeth of men and animals, and, like the shells and fragments of bone intermixed with them, were pierced for suspension round the wearer's neck. So conservative are the decorative tastes of primitive man, that necklaces similar to those which adorned our burrowing ancestors are still worn by savages in almost all parts of the world. Countless innovators, however, have improved upon them in the meantime. The Lacustrians, for instance, a people belonging to a far later phase of civilisation, or rather of barbarism, than the dwellers in caves, decked themselves profusely with necklaces made of beads joined together in sets of from three to five, carved in various materials, such as bone, serpentine, gold, silver, bronze, and tin. Multiple and single beads executed in these substances, and of prehistoric antiquity, have been found in Switzerland, Britain, Hissarlik, and Mycenæ; among them discs of glass, roughly bored for the accommodation of the thongs or filaments upon which they were probably strung. Amber beads, which formed so important a commercial currency and article of exchange during the business infancy of man, have been discovered in great numbers among relics of the Stone Age, as well as in tombs belonging to the Age of Bronze, in every country of Europe, in Egypt and in India, indicating with sufficient distinctness several trade routes whereby amber found its way from the Baltic to the Mediterranean, and thence to the far East. Shell discs both as ornaments and mediums of purchase seem to have been contemporary with beads among the aborigines of North and South America, Oceania, Japan, China, and India, for they continually turn up intermingled with bone and metal beads in ancient graves discovered in either hemisphere. They are in use, cut with great care and labour from the larger purple, scarlet, and white sea-shells, at the present day, throughout those parts of America inhabited by "red men" and the various groups of Pacific Islands. In the United States and Canada they are known as "wampum," and still to a certain extent constitute the native currency, being also utilised as money by the Solomon and other islanders. Ostrich-egg-shell discs are worn as necklaces in Africa by Bushmen and certain tribes remote from the sea-board; and similar ornaments abound in the more ancient Egyptian and Etruscan tombs, proving pre-historic intercourse between Etruria and Egypt. Strange to say, now as a hundred cycles ago, the pendants attached to these shell-necklaces are almost always teeth of some sort, or pieces of polished shell cut in tooth-shape.

The venerable antiquity of glass, which many people erroneously believe to be a comparatively modern invention, is conclusively demonstrated by recent discoveries in the pre-historic burying-places of Canada, Peru, the Pelew Islands, Egypt and Great Britain, of innumerable glass beads, the most remarkable of which, popularly known by the name of "adder-stones," are still used in the rural districts of this and other European countries as a charm for the cure of cattle diseases. There is a highly-prized variety of this ancient bead upon which the sobriquet of "chevron" has been bestowed, and which figures among the crown-jewels of Ashantee, where it is accidentally dug up from time to time, and fetches enormous prices. Beads exactly identical with these "chevrons" in form and markings appear in sculptured presentment upon the necks of Assyrian monarchs whose effigies are graven on the slabs excavated and brought to England from Egypt by LAYARD. A melon-shaped bead, sometimes made of glass and sometimes of other material, is also widely distributed over the face of the globe, having been found among other relics of forgotten races in Mexican graves and Assyrian tombs, as well as in European mounds and barrows without number. The "melon" and "chevron" varieties were among the carved beads used as "barter" by the Phœnicians in trading with many African tribes, amongst which they still, under the name of "aggries," are valued "far above rubies." They have now and then been disinterred in Ireland, as well as other archaic glass beads resembling those of the oldest types encountered in Greece and Egypt, Mesopotamia and Abyssinia. At Donaghadee, in county Down, thirty-seven years ago, were unearthed one hundred and fifty glass beads of various colours, enriched with spiral ornaments in yellow enamel, as well as a few pierced discs of amber, all of which had probably, at some vastly remote period of time, formed a necklace of paramount beauty and value, in the estimation of its wearer's contemporaries. In the course of excavations carried out in Norfolk, in the year 1829, there came to light sixty-five large beads of dark-blue glass, rock crystal, and vitrified paste, all cut in regular facets, and pronounced by competent judges to be of extreme antiquity. The "Northwold Barrow," from which they were extracted, was supposed to be an Anglo-Saxon place of sepulture, but the beads manifestly appertained to a much older period of history than that of the Heptarchy. In fact, as far as we are enabled to judge by the manufactured articles hitherto discovered in conjunction with the relics of our most ancient forefathers, beads are as old as the primeval man himself, and we are justified in the belief that as soon as that mysterious being had succeeded in fabricating implements which would cut and bore any hard material he set to work forthwith to fashion a bead. If ever we discover our petrified tertiary ancestor who has hitherto baffled our pious researches with mortifying evasiveness, in all probability his stony neck will be encircled by a row of fossil beads, carved out of mammoth bones or the vertebræ of some gigantic mesozoic lizard.

From the middle of the fourteenth century to the commencement of our own cycle the manufacture of glass beads was chiefly engrossed by the Venetians, and the glass-blowers of Murano still produce four-fifths of all the beads made in Europe, although of late years enormous quantities have been fabricated in Birmingham, where many thousands of dozens are annually sold for dolls' eyes. Considerably over a hundred thousand pounds' worth of the beads used in embroidery, in ornamenting ladies' dresses and mantles—"bugles" are only a variety of bead—and in constructing showy necklaces and bracelets, is imported into this country every year. In manufacturing these lustrous, fragile trifles the melted glass is taken from the pot by two workmen, who slightly expand the material attached to the end of their blow-pipes by breathing into the latter, after which, having made an orifice in the molten stuff, they join their respective pieces together, and then walk apart in opposite directions, drawing the glass into hollow rods of great length and small diameter. These rods, when cool, are broken up into twelve-inch lengths, which in their turn are annealed, placed upon a sharp cutting-edge, and chopped into sections of the length required. The rough beads thus obtained are subsequently mixed with fine sand and ashes, put into a metal cylinder over a fierce furnace, and shaken rapidly round and round as they begin to soften. This done, they are washed, after which operation they are ready to be "finished" and strung. Metal, wooden, and "composition" beads are for the most part moulded by pressure; their costlier varieties, such as are used for rosaries and chaplets, are hand-wrought and carved. For nearly seven centuries past beads have been at once emblems and reminders of prayer. The rosary was instituted by St. DOMINIC, in honour of the Virgin, and originally consisted of fifteen decads, each of ten Ave Marias preceded by the Lord's Prayer, the beads signifying the latter invocation being considerably larger than those emblematising the former. Nowadays, however, the ordinary "rosary," which is used by pious Catholics, consists of only five decads, having "told" which, it is customary to recite the "Credo" and the Litany of the Virgin. Beads are also in popular use, as symbols of prayer, throughout countries in which the Mohammedan and Buddhist beliefs are prevalent. In China, moreover, they are worn round the neck and on the head as badges of bureaucratic and military rank. Even the mandarin's "button," which surmounts his cap of office and proclaims his social status to the initiated in Celestial etiquette, is nothing more than a glorified bead of coloured glass, precious pebble, or pink coral.

JUST as many Britons are returning from their holidays by sea and land, and settling down for a pleasant English autumn, reconciling them to the blustering incoherencies to which the ill-mannered weather has treated us this year under the mocking guise of summer, there comes from a highly creditable quarter a distinct note of warning that we are to be still further chastened by an early winter. Dreams of some rich and luxuriant Indian season, some golden aftermath of rest and peace after the turbulent and aggressive summer, have been rudely dispelled; the fruit had better hasten to get ripe, and the harvestmen "hurry up" to the completion of their scanty gatherings and garnerings; for the little brown traveller, the world's courier, the swift Messenger of the Air has made up his mind that he must pack up at once and be off. We all know that the swallow's instincts are unerring, and that he is a veritable and thoroughly trustworthy barometer. He is the one visitor whom we all delight to welcome when he comes with the cuckoo, and with whom we are loth to part when he leaves rapid "P.P.C." cards all round, and sets off, as is his wont, for the Cape of Good Hope to start a new home, and, undeterred by any gloomy considerations touching the success or failure of marriage as an institution, engages in fresh nuptials and rears a new little African family to twist and turn and dart and glide in the warm southern sunlight. Yes, there is no doubt about it, everybody's little friend, Hirundo Rustica, is again "making him ready to fly, Wheeling out in the windy sky." He has assembled his tribe, and is now busily engaged in training his wife and his little ones for their annual long sea voyage. Just about this time last year the great swift family of glossy purple forked-tailed emigrants met in conclave and mysterious "parliament," and then the small birds were informed that the old naturalists were all wrong, that they never shut themselves up to hybernate, or make their winter's hiding in the cold ground, or pass the dreary season in a state of stupid, lazy torpidity in the mud, or in old caves, or hollow trees; but that England was a place to get away from in winter: that it would be obstinate ignorance to stop here and fancy that insects were to be caught all day long while skimming over a favourite grass-plot or [illegible] reach of river; that the sprites of Fog and Mist and Snow would soon descend with their white wings on the land; and that it was the [illegible] of the prudent swallow to get his [illegible] pectoral muscles into training, to learn the steering use of his twelve tail-feathers, to [illegible] his great toe—the one directed backwards—without moving any of the others to look after the [illegible] and tack of his [illegible], and generally to conform to the established traditions of well-brought-up migrating birds. This year the [illegible] have selected Paris as a gathering and good-bye trysting place. True, the weather has been of late deliciously soft and mild, but the swallow knows secrets that are hid from the wise clerks of the Meteorological Office, and revealed in some mystic manner to the winged emigrants. They have met and mobilised themselves in large flocks, and are starting daily at the word of command with the punctuality, order, and precision of retiring corps d'armée. The law of their advent is generally fixed, but the time of their departure is a vague mystery. We know that they arrive in this country about the middle of April, by a gradual migration, which appears to carry them through Spain and over the peaks of the Pyrenees early in February; another flight touches at Malta, just to see that the orange-blossoms are coming on, in the early part of March: others again visit Palestine, and sweep and circle round the Holy Land, about the middle of that month. They are expected in Italy, and generally arrive faithfully to the day, on the 20th of March: and they get to Scotland and Ireland with the last of the April showers. Year after year the same quarters are occupied by the same birds if their former home is left unmolested. Children have been known to make friends with the small summer visitors and bring them their daily dinner while the old birds circled round the nest, and twittered a joyful recognition of the young folks' hospitality, and to such kindly quarters the immigrant will come back season after season. Indeed, being entirely insectivorous, the harmless, beautiful, and useful swallow has no enemies, and is a pet of the peasants in all European countries. To show his trust in his friend man he generally builds his cosy mud cabin under the projecting eaves of the house or a neighbouring shed, or worms himself halfway down a chimney; and in North America it is a common practice to nail boxes to trees near the house, where the swallow of those districts, the purple martin, may make its rough nest of dried leaves and moss.

Our own species constructs a mud house, mixing up scraps of hay and straw with tiny earthen pellets to give the structure cohesion, and lining the clay castle with soft feathers. Bold, audacious birds, like our perky cock-sparrow, and a marauder called the spotted fly-catcher, will sometimes unlawfully evict the swallow from his home, and take possession of his tenement; but, on the whole, the birds have a good and pleasant time with us, except when reckless cockney sportsmen, in sulky revenge for having missed everything all day, will cruelly blaze at them as they twirl and flit round the hayricks in the farmyard of an evening. In connection with the periodic return of the swallow to the same spot, the well-known, if somewhat apocryphal, anecdote told by Master Buffon may be related once again. It seems that in the year 1777 the winter passed without much snow, and the spring was very fine. The swallows, however, arrived in Burgundy only by the 9th of April, and on the Lake of Geneva by the 14th; then a certain poetical shoemaker of Basle caught a swallow, and made for him a tiny collar, on which was graven the legend, "Hirondelle, qui est si belle, Dis-moi, l'hiver où vas-tu?" In the following spring the bird, who had lived with the shoemaker all the summer, came back with the answering couplet, "Athènes, chez Antoine; Pourquoi t'en informes-tu?" It is a pretty story, and it is to be regretted that scientific people have pointed out that swallows, as we have said, generally winter in Africa, and not in Athens; but then this may have been a swallow of exceptionally classic tendencies, with a taste for excavations and a penchant for theories concerning the site of ancient Troy. At all events, the faithful swallows, whose pleasant motto is "Je reviendrai," do come back to us. Their autumn exodus is a trip, not an exile; they never forget old friends, though they cross the seas and visit strange lands, and see fresh flowers, and gaze with piercing, sharp eyes on new people and hear curious tongues. And if Hans Andersen is to be believed the little voyagers do brave acts of chivalry in connection with little girls on floating water-lily leaves who are in dread of being married to ugly frogs or prosy moles, and who ultimately wed charming fairy princes. They come back to us when the snows have melted and the frost-fetters are loosed, and a glad new world buries its past and laughs with spring-time. Nowadays we do not make up a certain old Copenhagen prescription, a sort of essence of water and swallows, called Aqua Hirundinea, which in olden times was held to be a sovereign remedy for most of the ills that human flesh is heir to; what we do now is to admire, appreciate, and envy the traveller of the air. He has nothing of importance to pack before he starts; he requires neither passport nor parachute; he has no luggage, no rugs and wraps, no bills to settle save his own, which is peculiarly small; he has no letters to write, nothing to lock up or send to his bankers, if he be a true martin—he simply gets up and goes. Like ourselves, the wandering instinct comes strongly upon him, and he gets farther and still farther from the coming cold and gloom as fast as his black curved wings will carry him on the waves of air, that are wider and freer than the waves of the ocean. They say he knows the secrets of the sea, and its magic and mysteries, and he who sang of the aftermath and the Indian summer has enshrined one sea-legend touching the swallow, when he tells us how Gabriel and Evangeline "climbed to the populous nests on the rafters, Seeking with eager eyes that wondrous stone which the swallow Brings from the shore of the sea to restore the sight of its fledglings: Lucky was he who found that stone in the nest of the swallow!" Nevertheless, for all his wisdom and fearlessness, the voyage of the aerial ambassador is not unfraught with danger. Perilous and dangerous is his path. Thunderstorms drench the army on its march, the whirlwind tosses them like scattered leaves over the pitiless deep, the young birds grow weary and faint by the way, and all who go down to the sea in ships tell tales of clusters of belated swallows, storm-tossed and exhausted, that will make for passing vessels to rest in the rigging, or it may be to die on the deck. The strong ones wait confidingly on board ship till their strength returns, but many never reach the warm promised land whither their instinct leads them.

It seems hard that the time should have come round so swiftly for bidding farewell to the feathered travellers, and we rather hope to hear that they have gathered better tidings concerning the forthcoming weather; that the ominous [illegible] of an early winter has been proved a false alarm; and that the swallows are yet lingering in Lutetia. Perhaps, after all, this special flock consists of volatile and nervous swallows of French extraction, and their quieter Northern cousins will not bid us so abrupt a good-bye, remembering the fate of those unfortunate young ladies of classic lore, Procne and Philomela, who were turned into swallows or nightingales, and who wound up a tragic existence by flying off in a hurry to Attica, where, on the authority of such worthy people as Pausanias and Ovid, "they wept themselves to death." Let the swallows bide with us just a reassuring week or two, and the community will be grateful, and poets will sing more songs about them; for there is no knowing anything about English and French weather, and we may have a fine season yet, somewhere about October and November.

Some slightly discursive but interesting observations have recently been made by Dr. E. Cresswell Baber, one of the English practitioners who are taking part in the Congress of Otology at Brussels, on diseases of the nose; and in particular did the learned physician dwell upon the deplorable effects of the abuse of alcoholic liquors on that conspicuous feature of the human visage. Bardolph's nasal organ might have been made a very telling case in point in Dr. Baber's discourse. Clearly Sir John Falstaff's Lieutenant had, in the matter of alcoholic potations, sadly misused it. Even the foot-boy at the Boar's Head was pert enough to bid Bardolph put his nose into bed and do the office of a warming-pan; while the Lieutenant himself, when Falstaff died, pathetically remarked the fuel was gone that had maintained the flames in that too jolly nose. Yet it was not his inflamed proboscis which was the immediate cause of Bardolph's premature decease. He went to the French wars, and being given to looting was hanged for stealing a pyx. Oliver Cromwell, again, had a red nose; but it would not appear to have materially conduced to shortening the life of the formidable Protector, whom some pronounce to be only a brave bad man, whereas others think him the greatest Prince that ever ruled in England. While Dr. Cresswell Baber was about it at Brussels he was doubtless careful to remind his hearers that the olfactory organ is subject to a large variety of ailments besides those springing from too copious libations to Bacchus. The universal Shakespeare has made Mrs. Quickly describe the nose of Falstaff in his last moments as being "as sharp as a pen," and this facial aspect was not overlooked by the mediæval semiologists, who maintained that when the nose of an invalid grew thin, peaked, and pale it formed a part of what was known as the Hippocratic face, and was of the worst augury for the life of the patient. These observers of symptoms held that a violet tip to the nose announced an affection of the liver, and that in certain cases of heart disease the organ became positively blue; while acute pulmonary disease was marked by the nostrils turning a yellowish green. On the whole, it is to be feared that Dr. Baber's address on red noses, in connection with the excessive consumption of alcoholic liquors, will not tend in any great degree to increase the sum of temperance in our midst. Some of the most dreadful diseases to which the nose is subject, such as tumefaction, erysipelatous inflammation, coryza, and polypus, are due to causes with which alcoholism has no kind of concernment; and, on the other hand, Nature is so capricious that, while she gives one toper as fiery a face as that of General Gascoyne in "The Devil's Walk," she endows another with a countenance so pale and pasty that neither the abuse of beer or wine or spirits seems to have the power of imparting a flush to it. Excessive drinking, every pathologist knows, will play havoc with the stomach, the liver, and the brain, and in thousands of instances will prove the foundation of death; but it may safely be said that more local injury is done to the nose by snuff-taking with men and tight-lacing with women than by strong drink.

Yet, while the doctors at Brussels have been talking about nose diseases, which obviously belong not to the science of otology, but to that of rhinology, a scientific contemporary has drawn attention to an extraordinary statement made in some learned circles to the effect that the human nose is in the parlous condition of being effete, and "played out," and that it is gradually losing its power to fulfil its traditional functions in the case of civilised peoples. When the sense of smell vanishes altogether, as it is affirmed will infallibly be the case some day, the organ itself should be bound, it is said, to follow the example, and, disdaining to fill the part of the veteran that lags "superfluous on the stage," retire gracefully from a scene where it is no longer wanted. It is no doubt a fact, argues our contemporary, that the olfactory sense is much keener in the savage than in civilised man, and it is consequently reasonable to conclude that the more we progress in civilisation the duller the sense will grow; and, as nature never preserves useless organs when the nose wholly loses its power of smelling, the nose "must go." It has been, however, entirely and strangely overlooked by those who take such a despairing view of the prospects of this feature that it has another function, much more important than that of smelling, but which, owing to some curious aberration on the part of civilised humanity, has fallen into desuetude. It may not have been so in primitive times—in fact, we have the word of Scripture for it; but who, save on a very frosty morning, looks for the "breath of the nostrils" now, and who cares to remember that the nose is far better fitted than the mouth to carry on the vital office of respiration? Man breathes through his lips, which were not meant for that particular employment; and from this perverse habit arise indigestion, toothache, gumboils, and loss of teeth, to say nothing of all kinds of dreadful affections of the larynx, bronchitis, asthma, and pulmonary diseases, which, as is well known, have decimated mankind far more fatally than pestilence, or war, or famine has done. The business of the mouth is to eat, to drink, to speak occasionally, and to kiss and be kissed in strict moderation. It was the nose that was made specially to breathe through, whereas a corrupt civilisation has converted it into a bridge to support a pair of spectacles, a chimney to be blocked with snuff, an accessory of fastidiousness to be titillated with smelling-salts and pungent essences, and in the East into an instrument of vanity through the cartilage of which jewelled rings can be passed. Look at the brutes. In ordinary cases they breathe almost entirely through the nostrils; it is only when they have run a rapid race that they open their mouths and pant, or, when cats and dogs are over-pampered, that they yawn through sheer laziness. From the elephant to the bird, if the nasal organs were closed, the creatures would die from asphyxia. They might, nevertheless, breathe through their mouths; but instinct has warned them that such is not the true destination of that organ. The air which, by the action of oral respiration, is introduced into our lungs has no time to rid itself from the myriads of animal, vegetable, and mineral corpuscles continually suspended therein. Some of these corpuscles are deposited on the larynx, others in the bronchial tubes, and the rest take refuge in the lungs. As for the vanguard of this dread army, they encamp in the teeth, whereas animals which breathe through the nasal openings keep their teeth intact to the end of their lives. The greatest advantage in breathing through the nose is that our respiratory organs inhale nasally-warmed air, whereas by inspiring through the mouth we take in the atmosphere in raw cold gulps.

Whether the importance of nasal respiration will form a part of technical training in the Board schools of the future may be a moot-point; but it is yet expedient to point out that all the best swimmers breathe in this natural way; that a professional runner who kept his nostrils closed would be out of breath before he had traversed a hundred yards; and that the antique wrestlers always kept a small wisp of straw between their teeth in order to force respiration into the nasal ducts. And, again, to whatever extent the doctors may take up their parable against smoking tobacco, there can be no doubt that a pipe, a cigar, or a cigarette held between the lips promotes nasal respiration. Enough has been said, it is to be hoped, to show that the nose has a much more important part to play than merely to be the organ of the olfactory nerves; while there is another reason why its disappearance from the human anatomy would be a catastrophe most deeply to be lamented. What would the artists and what would the physiognomists say if this feature disappeared? It is an immutable canon of artistic proportion that the human face, academically treated, should be three noses in length; although it must be admitted that our Mother Nature has made a good many exceptions to the academical rule. Perhaps it is indulging slightly too much in generalisation to say that great men have usually had long, or at least large noses. The aquiline beaks of Cæsar and Wellington are manifestly cases in point. Marlborough, too, had a portentous nose; so had William III. and Louis XIV., although it must be granted that many critics deny altogether the greatness of the Grand Monarque. Napoleon's nose was of the pure Greek type, long and straight, and with the nostrils exquisitely chiselled; moreover, he frequently expressed his partiality for a "man with plenty of nose"; and certainly, in the case of two of his companions in arms, his predilection was amply justified. Bernadotte and Kleber had noses like the rostra of Roman galleys. That of Frederick the Great, again, was of Slawkenbergian dimensions. When, however, we come to the great men who have not been soldiers, the varieties of nature are numerous enough even to puzzle a Lavater; Ben Jonson had a jolly, almost a Bardolphian nose; but it should not be forgotten that his enlarged nasal organ was perhaps less a gift of nature than a boon of art, since he had carefully cultivated the art of nose-painting over flagons of canary at the Mermaid and the Devil. The gentle Shakespeare's nose was delicately aquiline, but Oliver Goldsmith's was a decided pug; and while Gibbon had none at all to speak of, the exact conformation of Mr. Thackeray's, before it was bashed out of shape in a friendly bout of fisticuffs with a fellow-student, is enveloped in the mists of obscurity. William Pitt the elder had a nose so very aquiline that a courtier who watched the great Earl of Chatham make his first bow to his Sovereign on being created a peer declared that he saw the illustrious statesman's hooked nose between his legs; whereas William Pitt the Younger had a decided turn-up nose—a peculiarity which he shared with the man whom perhaps he most hated in the world, Maximilien Robespierre. With respect to ladies' noses, we at once and candidly admit that we shrink from the task of classification, of analysis, or of anything that approaches dogmatism. Cleopatra's is said to have captivated Mark Antony; and, indeed, the philosophic Pascal observes that if the nose of the daughter of Ptolemy Auletes had only been a little shorter, the face of the world might have been changed. Yet whereas one set of specialists point out that, while Catherine de Medicis and our Queen Elizabeth had aquiline, cruel, and cold noses, the really feminine affectionate and amative nose being that of Roxalana and of Cleopatra—that is to say, one slightly retroussé—a group of totally adverse critics adduce the contemporary medals of the Egyptian Queen, which represent her with a longish, prominent, and peaked nose. The best way, perhaps, in which to treat the noses of the fair sex is to pass them by in respectful silence, congratulating only the ladies of the Occident for having refused to imitate their Oriental sisters by disfiguring their comely countenances with nose-rings.

THE AFGHAN REBELLION.

VICTORY OF THE AMEER.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAM.]

SIMLA, Sept. 14.

The Ameer Abdurrahman reports to the Indian Government that his troops have captured the Kamard fort held by the rebels, and have taken many prisoners, among whom is the father-in-law of Ishak Khan.

ASSASSINATION OF MAJOR BARTTELOT.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAM.]

ST. PAUL DE LOANDA, Sept. 13.

Major Barttelot was shot dead on July 19 by Manyema carriers.

The head Arab and his men thereupon ran off and made their way to Stanley Falls.

Mr. Jameson is there, and is arranging with Tippoo Tib for an expedition to proceed with all despatch.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—The announcement of this morning conveying the sad news of Major Barttelot's murder by his carriers has filled every one with such grief and consternation that almost by implication many have begun to despair of Stanley, too, and have—unspokenly perhaps—assigned him the same fate. My only excuse in troubling you with this communication is to point out that deplorable as is the recent news from the heart of Africa, and deeply as we all regret the loss of our fellow-countryman, Major Barttelot, there is nothing in this catastrophe that need increase our anxiety as to Stanley's fate. I will not believe that Stanley is dead. The very fact that we have heard so swiftly and promptly of Major Barttelot's death convinces me that had Stanley died we should certainly have heard of his death, either by way of the East Coast or from the Congo—the news reaching Emin Pasha or Stanley's Camp at Yambuya. Major Barttelot is reported to have been "killed by his carriers." It is very difficult to believe that by "his carriers" are meant his own people whom he took with him from Yambuya. In all the records of African exploration I can hardly call to mind a case wherein a traveller was *killed* by his own carriers, except in one or two doubtful instances, where the traveller in question was a brutal, cruel man, who had exasperated his porters beyond endurance—which is a character no one would dream of applying to Major Barttelot. Your own carriers may possibly desert and abandon you, but it would hardly enter their heads to kill you—a gratuitous crime from which they could profit little. It is conceivable that some of Tippu Tib's accompanying escort may have committed the crime, though I fail to see for what valid reason and African Arabs, bad as they are, are not unreasoning assassins.

I am myself inclined to believe that by the term "his carriers," may be meant the local supplementary porters whom one so frequently engages in exploring Africa to carry food supplies from halting-place to halting-place, and to lighten the loads of one's permanent expeditionary force. I have hardly gone on any African journey of length and duration without this floating, fluctuating supplement of local carriers, who, besides assisting in the transport of the loads—loads which are constantly increased by the purchase of food supplies—act as guides and interpreters. These temporary porters follow you to the limits of their country, and then their place and their loads are taken by another gang from the next territory. It is possible that among the fierce Mabode—the tribe on the Upper Aruwimi—who, if rumours are to be believed, so persistently fought Stanley, the local porters of Major Barttelot's expedition may have led that gallant explorer into a trap, and have joined and assisted their fellow-countrymen in attacking him.

It may be that the district where this murder occurred was the same part of the Mabode country whence Stanley's deserters have reported the obstinate fighting which would seem to have prevented Stanley's further progress towards Wadelai in an easterly direction. My own theory with regard to Stanley (when I say my own I mean that among the several theories advanced which seems to me the most credible) is that the dogged opposition of the Mabode to his progress through their country has turned Stanley northward into Monbuttu land and the region of the Upper Welle, whence he has directed his steps towards the Bahr al Ghazal, preferring to approach the Nile in that direction because the Mahdi's power is evidently weaker there than on the main Nile between Lado and the Dinka country, where some year and a half ago the Mahdi's influence was extending and his garrisons were being reinforced. I believe myself that Stanley is the cause of the "White Pasha" rumours, and I do not, as yet, entertain the idea of his death.—I am, &c.,

London, Sept. 14. H. H. JOHNSTON.

The Court.

BALMORAL, Sept. 14.

Yesterday morning the Queen went out, attended by the Hon. Harriet Phipps, and in the afternoon her Majesty, accompanied by Princess Frederica, and attended by Miss Phipps, drove through Braemar and down by the Lion's Face.

Princess Beatrice and Princess Alice of Hesse, attended by Miss Cochrane and Miss Bauer, drove to Loch Callater.

The Earl of Fife, K.T., arrived at the Castle, and, as well as Viscount Cranbrook, G.C.B., had the honour of dining with the Queen.

TO-DAY'S ARRANGEMENTS.

Lawn Tennis.—Essex Open Tournament, at Chingford (last day).

Yachting.—Thames United Sailing Club, Egham; Royal Southampton Yacht Club—2½ and 5 raters, and 20ft (C.-B. Class); Erith Yacht Club—Open and half-decked boats, keels or C.-B.'s; Thames Sailing Club; Thames Valley Sailing Club.

Cycling.—Kildare Bicycle and Tricycle Club Sports at Stamford Bridge.

Cricket.—Hastings Cricket Week, North v South (second day); Gentlemen of Essex v. Players, at Leyton.

The Duke of Cambridge arrived from Edinburgh at Glasgow Central Station yesterday forenoon, a large crowd receiving his Royal Highness. His Royal Highness afterwards drove round the city, and thence to Maryhill Barracks, where he reviewed the Seaforth Highlanders in the garrison.

Lord George Hamilton, who has been spending the recess on the Continent, arrives on Tuesday next at the Admiralty from Switzerland.

PARIS DAY BY DAY.

[BY SPECIAL WIRE.]

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

PARIS, Friday Night.

The "Ligue des Bois de Paris," which has been formed with a view to having all the Woods and Forests in the neighbourhood of the Metropolis opened to the public, held its promised meeting at Meudon, yesterday. M. Yves Guyot presided, flanked by several Deputies and Mayors, and no less than 500 persons, including a number of ladies, assembled in the old Orangerie, which was profusely decorated with foliage procured from the National Forests, a fact which one of the speakers was careful to announce. M. Yves Guyot, in explaining the object of the agitation, said that Parisians wanted a little of the liberty which was freely enjoyed by rabbits and other quadrupeds. His audience applauded the sentiment, but the honours of the day fell to a worthy countryman, who, dropping down on the gamekeepers, related, amid roars of laughter, how one of the fraternity, lighting upon three young women who had "made so bold" as to bathe in a small lake in the Forest of Meudon on a very warm day, had calmly walked off with every article of attire which they had left on the margin of this seductive pond. He, however, omitted to explain how those fair "Nymphs of the Wood" had contrived to return to their homes; but this is a detail. The members of the League were highly amused, and being in a good humour they unanimously adopted a resolution thanking the Minister of Agriculture for the efforts which he was making to cancel M. Bamberger's lease of the woods of Clamart, Meudon, Sèvres, Chaville, and Viroflay, and expressing the hope that the fences would soon be removed. It is certainly very hard on Excursionists that they should find barriers erected to keep them out of favourite and picturesque haunts. The hardship is felt very keenly just now, for the weather is warm and summer-like, and those who have been compelled to remain in Paris are naturally desirous of "making hay while the Sun shines," and enjoying as many of these bright and genial days as they can spare in the pleasant recesses of the Woods and Forests with which the Metropolis is begirt.

Great sensation has been caused in Parliamentary circles by the accusations levelled at the Head of the Budget Committee by M. Gilly, a Republican Deputy for the Department of the Gard, who is now "on the stump" in his district. Public interest in the matter is perhaps small, owing to the fact that, as Parliament is not sitting, the papers do not give prominence to the affair. M. Gilly is reported to have said in a speech delivered at Alais that there were twenty "Wilsons" in the Budget Committee. He was immediately called upon by that body for an explanation, but instead of doing so in the categorical manner desired by the members, he has simply piled Pelion upon Ossa in the way of reiterated recrimination and abuse. Writing from Nimes to the chairman of the Committee the impetuous Deputy says that the Republic is a "Disguised Monarchy"; that France is in the hands of pitiless plunderers, who are all "Wilsons" because, although entering Parliament at a nominal salary of twenty-five *francs* a day, they soon blossomed out into millionaires, who lived in palatial abodes, and profited by their positions to speculate on the Bourse, and to make money even out of such disasters as that of Langson. Finally, M. Gilly condemns the public administration for having caused such catastrophes as that of Velars by permitting railway companies to keep bad rails on their lines and for allowing foreigners like Sir Edward Blount to preside at a French railway-board. M. Salis, the President of the Budget Committee, on receiving this letter, wrote back to the Deputy, stating that he did not want words, but names. So the matter stands for the present, and many Republicans, while affecting to regard M. Gilly's accusations as absurd, cannot conceal from themselves the fact that they will have a most dangerous effect in the country on the eve of a General Election. M. Gilly is, it may be added, a "working-man" Deputy, and a cooper by trade. So far he has been less heard of than Basly, Camelinat, or any of the other labouring men or artisans who have seats in the Palais Bourbon. He has now, however, succeeded in jumping at one bound into fame in the height of the "Gooseberry Season."

A *Palais des Enfants*, or "Children's Palace," will be among the most remarkable of the attractions of the forthcoming Universal Exhibition of Paris. The [illegible] to the amusement of [illegible] will be one of the largest on the grounds, and will contain everything appertaining to the [illegible] bearing upon children, as well as [illegible] toys and games. In [illegible] be, moreover, a [illegible] and pieces interesting not only to children but also to adults [illegible].

General [illegible], whose family arms were [illegible] those of [illegible] just died. His grandfather was [illegible] during the [illegible] of Terror, and [illegible] emigrated to Germany. The [illegible] just died became a [illegible] Aide-de-Camp to the King of Wurtemberg [illegible] the War of 1870 the Baron and his brother, being the descendants of a French [illegible], were exempted from service in the campaign against France.

The French proudly and, perhaps, justly—pride themselves on their Wines, their Cookery, their Plays, Pictures, and feminine Fashions. Gallic cooks, *crus*, canvasses, comedies, and *cris* in dress and ornamental appendages generally are in continual demand everywhere, and even the enemy does not disdain to learn or to borrow from his rival where social, artistic, and culinary matters are concerned. Thus the announcement made by the *Cologne Gazette* that the Emperor William the Third wants to banish from the German language all words of foreign, and particularly of French, origin, and that his Imperial Majesty has furthermore ordered the word "speisekarte" to be substituted for the French word *menu*, is received with calmness here. The French simply shrug their shoulders over the matter, and console themselves with the reflection that even if the word *menu* were discarded the *cuisine* was French in the dinner given by the Emperor to the officers of the Third Army-Corps, and where, as it appears, the brief foreign word was first replaced according to the Kaiser's strict injunctions by the Teutonic compound, which, being interpreted in English, mean "food-card." In like manner French critics remind their German rivals who exult over the banishment of French words from the language of Göthe that German Emperors are not so patriotically devoted to Rhine-wines as to give up Champagne, which, as is well-known, was much relished by the late Emperor William.

I have already drawn your attention to the excellent impression which the Cavalry-manœuvres at Châlons had produced here, and to the confidence which prevailed as to the *rôle* which that Arm of the Service would play if War were unfortunately to break out. A striking confirmation of this opinion is to be found in an article contributed to-day by a high authority to the leading Opportunist journal. After remarking that the French Cavalry can now put into the field six independent Divisions, each composed of a Brigade of Hussars, or *Chasseurs*; a brigade of Dragoons, and another brigade of *Cuirassiers*, and, that while three of these Divisions are stationed near the Eastern frontier, the other three can be removed thither in forty-eight hours, he goes on to declare that it is utterly impossible for the Germans to assemble such a force on their Lorraine-frontier within the same space of time. Map in hand, it is perfectly easy to prove this. On the contrary, far from the German Cavalry overrunning France on the outbreak of a War there is every chance that with such a leader as General de Galliffet the French *Cuirassiers* and Dragoons would appear before Metz ere the Uhlans rode up to the gates of Nancy. This view will be regarded by many military experts as very far-fetched; but during the past few weeks there has been quite a revulsion of feeling so far as the Cavalry is concerned; yet at the Review of the Third Army-corps, which took place this morning on the Boos plateau, three leagues from Rouen, and was witnessed by M. Carnot, most of the regiments galloped past in anything but good order. Regret was expressed that they had not gone by at a trot; but whoever saw the average French trooper trot? He invariably breaks into a canter on the first opportunity. At any rate, there might have been fewer empty saddles had a milder pace been tried. The Review was a fine spectacle, and the troops were heartily cheered. When all was over the foreign officers paid their respects to the President. On his return to Rouen M. Carnot entertained seventy guests at luncheon, including Baron Fredericks, the Russian Military-Attaché. The President went on at six o'clock to Elbœuf, where a banquet is being held this evening.

A mysterious incident occurred a few evenings ago at a party given within the limits of the Fortifications. The host and hostess—foreigners who had been mixing for some time in "good Society" here—having returned from the seaside, sent out invitations to all their friends who happened to be in Paris. About one o'clock in the morning, as a brisk game of "Baccarat" was being played—the stakes on the table amounting to no less a sum than £2,000—a "grave and reverend signior," wearing a tricolour-scarf, suddenly appeared on the festive scene, with two persons of policeman-like aspect, and, "In the name of the Law," proceeded to seize the money, politely requesting the guests at the same time to favour him with their names. The host protested: the sanctity of his abode was being violated; his guests had a perfect right to play under his roof! The magistrate, however, turned a deaf ear to his arguments, and after drawing up a report departed with the stakes in his pocket. One of the guests, who had laid £400 on the table, regarding the "adventure" as somewhat strange, called immediately on the *Commissaire* of the district, and ascertained that he had not been near the house. He went back at once to the party and communicated his suspicions to the other players. They asked their "Amphytrion" for an explanation of the mystery. Their host declared that if it transpired that the person who had seized the stakes was not a police-official after all he would himself return them their money that very afternoon; but when the guests called they learned that their host and his wife had taken their departure. A formal complaint has been lodged and an investigation is being held into this strange affair.

Another anecdote of Allmayer is now going the round of business-circles at Marseilles. You have already heard how he induced the Governor-General of Algeria to open the port of Nemours to the export of sheep. He had expatiated to some of his dupes on the fortune that was to be made by procuring sheep from Morocco. It now transpires that only a short time ago he succeeded in convincing other fools of the money that was to be derived by importing foreign corn into Algeria, *viâ* Morocco, and then exporting it "duty free" to France. Several Marseilles capitalists, delighted with the project, accompanied him to Algeria. He then called himself the "Comte de Nyons," and, as usual, he dazzled his victims with his plausible conversation, and with various epistles indited, as he declared, by distinguished personages which he paraded before their astonished eyes. Having amassed a goodly sum of money wherewith to meet the preliminary expenses, Allmayer took his departure, while his friends, provided with tents, camels, and formidable escorts, posted themselves at points of vantage awaiting the arrival of the first supply of corn which was to be brought, under Allmeyer's auspices, across the frontier. They waited some weeks, but Allmayer never "turned up"—of the foreign corn which was to make their fortunes not a sack was to be seen. Allmayar had "flitted" with the capital, and had his partners not arrived at the conclusion that they had been tricked they would still be lingering at their respective posts with their Arabs and their camels. They returned to Marseilles sadder and wiser men than when they sailed to Algeria with this grand new scheme seething in their brains.

A virago has just been condemned to ten years penal servitude by the Assize-Court of the Department of the Meurthe-et-Moselle for having tried to despatch her husband into another world by giving him a bath of boiling water. The woman acted in a most systematic, cynical, and determined manner. Her husband and herself were, according to the villagers, a pre-eminently "bad lot," who were addicted to much consumption of alcoholic stimulants, and were always quarrelling with one another. The wife, however—Madame Mandler—seemed to be the real "wearer of the pantaloons," and nearly always had the best of her husband, whom she usually "sent to the wall," upbraiding him before his peers with all sorts of public and private shortcomings. Some weeks ago the unhappy and henpecked M. Mandler returned home with his wife from the village inn, both being full of alcohol. The husband fell on his bed in a drunken sleep, and his wife, seizing a pot of boiling water, which was on her fire, flung it without compunction over her slumbering spouse. Poor Mandler succumbed to his fearful injuries after thirteen days of horrible suffering. During his long illness and agony his wife displayed the most revolting cynicism. She had long kept the crime a secret, and forbade her daughter—a girl of thirteen—to leave the house. At length, however, Madame Mandler again began to drink hard, and her muttered remarks as to her having caused her "old man" to *crever*, or "give way," rendered some neighbours, who overheard her, suspicious. The murder was finally disclosed by the death of Mandler, and the virago was arrested. During the trial the prisoner frequently objurgated the witnesses, calling them "pigs" and "toads," and her general demeanour in court created a most unfavourable impression. Nevertheless, the fact that her husband was as worthless as regards character as she was herself, told somewhat in her favour, and obtained for her a lighter sentence than she might otherwise have received.

A curious and fatal accident happened yesterday, at Marseilles. Thirty ostriches which had arrived from Algeria were being placed in the train for Paris, where they are to be exhibited in the *Jardin d'Acclimatation*, when a man endeavoured to pluck some feathers out of one of the [illegible] of the [illegible]. He immediately received a [illegible] from the ostrich which killed him on the spot.

M. Ernest Renan having been asked by the manager of the Théâtre Libre for his authorisation to produce "L'Abbesse de Jouarre," says that the dramatic piece in question requires a beautiful woman, who should also be a consummate actress and elocutionist. M. Renan's experience also leads him to the belief that the "French" which he writes is retained with extreme difficulty by the memory of actors. The learned author of the "Vie de Jésus," therefore advises the manager to pause before putting the "Abbesse" on the stage, although he expresses his satisfaction at the manner in which it was played in Italy.

Amours Anglais, a book which has just been published by Hachette, is from the pen of M. Augustin Filon. The title may be suggestive to those accustomed to the productions which are popular on the Boulevards, but there is not an objectionable sentiment or expression in the volume, which will no doubt prove an admirable text book in young ladies' schools. M. Filon is already well-known for his sketches of English-life, and he is one of those French writers who, like M. Taine, M. Daryl, and the facetious M. Blouet, who calls himself "Max O'Rell," may be said to understand England and Englishmen. *Amours Anglais* is a volume of novelettes written in a graceful and attractive style. In one—"The Sanatorium"—there is a touching history of a young baronet who goes by chance to a hydropathic establishment and meets there an infirm but beautiful girl. The scenic surroundings of this strange idyll are certainly not very Arcadian; but M. Filon disdains well-beaten tracks, and plants his lovers, not amid pastoral landscapes or in baronial halls, but in a kind of hospital where death and decay are more common than life and loveliness. Yet this unattractive place sends forth two true lovers—the baronet and the patient—the latter of whom actually recovers her health through the influence of *L'Amour*. The tale is simply and pathetically told. Of equal felicity are "Miss Lilian," "Homo Duplex," "Lady Felicia," a female compound of mysticism, sentimentality, and passion; and "La Chambre des Enfants." Many of M. Filon's fellow-countrymen would, no doubt, say that the author had contracted "the spleen" on the foggy banks of the Thames, for there is a mist of melancholy over all that he has written; but for all that the volume is destined to delight numerous readers.

On the Bourse to-day the last quotations were: Three per Cents., 84f 10c (a fall of 12½c); Four and a Half per Cents., 105f 77½c (a fall of 2½c); Italians, 97f 35c (a fall of 10c); Turks, 15f 12½c (a fall of 2½c); Spanish-Exteriors, 75f; Egyptian-Unified, 428f 75c; ditto Preference, 520f; and Ottoman-Bank, 545f. Suez-Canal Shares closed at 2,230f, and Rio Tinto at 574f. Home Funds are still weak, as well as Italians and Portuguese. There was little change in the other foreign stocks.

The Duke of Richmond and Gordon's party at Gordon Castle is chiefly confined to members of the family. The Earl of March, Lord Settrington, and Lord Walter Gordon-Lennox returned from Glenfiddich, where they had capital grouse shooting, some days ago. Lord and Lady Algernon Gordon-Lennox returned at the end of last week from visiting the Duke of Portland at Langwell. The recent visitors have included the Earl of Hardwicke, Hon. Colonel Coke, Lady Mary Arkwright, Colonel Vivian, Mr. and Mrs. Sandford, Mr. and Mrs. St. Quintin, Lord Langford, Colonel Auchinleck, Lord Alexander Paget, and Mr. Brassey. Mrs. and Miss Gordon have left the castle for Dunblane.

The Marquis and Marchioness of Bute have, during the last few days, visited their newly-acquired estate, Falkland House, Fife.

The Earl and Countess of Milltown arrived at Russborough House, their seat in County Wicklow, on Wednesday last.

The Imperial Institute.—The Lord Mayor has remitted to the Organising Committee of the Imperial Institute £21,917 5s 7d, being the amount subscribed for the Institute through the Mansion House Fund since Sept. 1886. The question of establishing a Commercial Museum in the City remains in abeyance.

The Collision off the Canaries.—A further telegram received at Madrid from Port Luz, concerning the collision between the La France and the Sud America states that, so far, twenty bodies have been recovered, and that these will be buried to-day. The rescued persons are undergoing quarantine, and the sick and injured have been taken to the hospital.—*Reuter.*

IS MARRIAGE A FAILURE?

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—Many of your correspondents have been especially anxious that "something should be done," and have hinted pretty plainly that, unless something is done, the correspondence in your columns will have served no good purpose. Here, I think, they are in error. By all means enlarge the scope of divorce, and grant separation when marriage has turned out unfortunate, so far as this is reasonable; but we must not forget, when all these reforms are accomplished, that we have still left the original causes of marriage failures untouched. The selfish, the improvident, and those with "incompatible" tempers are yet unaltered.

Have we any means of providing for happy unions in the future? Is it in our power to train up our sons to be husbands and our daughters to be wives? I am afraid I must say, No. But I hope I can dimly point out the direction in which improvement may be expected.

It is evident from your correspondents' letters, as well as from our everyday experience, that one of the most important factors in happy marriage is moral success, and that one of the most important factors in unfortunate marriage is moral failure. Yet the science of action in everyday life is almost unknown. While the intellectual advances of the last fifty years have been enormous, while knowledge has been gained within this short period which has baffled men of thought for ages—such as the nature of combustion and the transmutability of the various forms of energy—yet morally we have remained absolutely *in statu quo*. In fact, the very basis of morality is in dispute, and of the various systems not one is recognised by more than a few, while our social training is very much left to chance. Yet it is largely to moral development that we must look for happiness in marriage.

It is, however, worth bearing in mind that knowledge precedes the highest form of action, and is necessary to its occurrence. Both in the history of the individual and in that of the race, intellectual development precedes moral development. The highest intellectual operations are performed before the age of twenty; but a man does not make his mark on the platform or in Parliament till he is forty or more.

I believe, Sir, you are doing more towards providing for married happiness in the future by opening your columns to the diffusion of knowledge on this subject than those of your correspondents who will no doubt busy themselves in trying to remedy the evils of unfortunate unions. I feel myself much in need of knowledge of the subject, though, as a medical student near the end of my career, I see a good deal of home-life. Since your correspondence began I have learnt that married life can be happier far than I have even dreamed of, while I have learned also how deep indeed must be the misery of ill-considered union.—Yours, &c.,

London, Sept. 11. B. SC. LOND.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—Will you allow me to express my view of the question, "Is Marriage a Failure?" I am only a poor man. I have been married twenty-three years. I left home at the age of twenty-one years, and came to live in London, in lodgings, which I very soon got to dislike. The consequence was that I got married to the girl I loved, a respectable servant, and a labouring man's daughter. I being in a regular situation, we knew the amount we should have to keep house with, so we agreed to keep our expenses within that amount. At the time of our marriage our united total amount of money was under £20, and we had only about £3 worth of assistance from every source on our marriage. We have had nothing from any one since. The last ten years I have been receiving about £80 per year. We have had eight children, four of whom died in infancy; the others, two boys and two girls, are as fine children as any father and mother can have—the elder three in very respectable situations and doing well, the youngest—a girl of twelve years—still at home. I am very happy to say they are all, with myself, depositors in the P.O. Savings Bank. Now, Mr. Editor, I do not consider my marriage a failure, and I know many in my class quite as happy as I am, and many more would be if they only tried to live within their income.—Yours, respectfully,

Elstree, Herts, Sept. 11. A WORKING MAN.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—In your issue of Saturday last one of your correspondents—viz., "Roman Catholic"—gives as his opinion that the "subsequent marriage of parents should legitimatise children who were not born in wedlock," and he says also that the Canon Law of the Romish Church advocates this. So it does; but in a very guarded and limited way, and as the ecclesiastical law of Rome was put into code, and is now mainly exercised for the guidance and benefit of Roman Catholic Continental communities, so also in this detail it was made to fall in with the wants of those communities, and it follows, of course, that the Church cannot draw the line in this respect between British and Italian Catholics. Moreover, if it had not been for some such law as this, the illegitimacy in mediæval Italy alone would have been appalling indeed, and I am of opinion that amongst us, where, at any rate, the state of moral culture is somewhat sounder, such a law would be a direct abuse and an absolute encouragement of vice, as in many families, especially where there is money, one, at least, of its males becomes entangled with some woman of questionable character, and in a moment of weakness or in old age might not only be inveigled into marrying the individual but also into legitimatising his neighbour's children, too. Luckily, with the present state of the law of legitimacy, this latter calamity is steered clear of.—Trusting you will do me the favour to insert these remarks, I am, Sir, yours, &c.,

Wandsworth, S.W., Sept. 11. LL. TREVOR.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—The middle-class young lady nowadays is too fond of making her unfortunate lover a convenience for gadding about in search of pleasure and excitement, all, of course, at his expense. This young lady would indeed open her eyes were she asked to substitute a ramble round the suburbs for a trip up river or a visit to the theatre. In fact, the majority of girls nowadays lose sight of the seriousness of married life in the anticipation of the pleasures to be provided for them by the deluded victim during their engagement. Who can wonder that in such cases, when the scales fall from Benedict's eyes, contempt and disgust are the only feelings he has for his wife.

I am acquainted with numerous engaged couples, and in nearly every instance this craving after excitement and novelty is displayed by the young lady, to the impoverishing of her lover's purse and to their probable misery as a married couple.—Yours, WARNED.

Clapham, S.W., Sept. 11.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—I think marriages in a great many cases are a perfect failure, especially among the poorer classes, where the men whose small weekly wage is not enough for themselves get married, and when they find they cannot possibly live on his poor pittance, the woman has to go and help to earn the living, instead of being in her right place as a wife and mother, viz., looking after the house and caring for the children; so the home is neglected, and the husband spends his evenings out, getting into bad habits, and wasting the money he can so ill afford, and every day the misery increases. For a happy marriage there ought to be perfect love on both sides, and it is quite right for young fellows to get married providing they have the means to keep a wife. I also consider that early marriages would be just as happy as any others if young people would only believe that love cannot keep the wolf from the door; in fact, it often beats a hasty retreat on such an occasion.—Yours, &c.,

London, Sept. 11. A SWEETHEART.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—Although I have assisted at several marriages, I was unaware that the service was indelicate, until I read some of the letters in *The Daily Telegraph*. If those clergymen who coolly avow that they pick and choose what parts to leave out are consistent, I presume they do the same with certain passages in the other services of the Church. I should like to know what their bishops say to such a practice, to say nothing of its effect on those who follow with their books. If the Prayer Book is "hideous" and "objectionable," how much more so must the Bible (from which it was drawn up) be so considered by these Puritans! As the world is still imperfect, and impropriety is still to be met with and heard of, and even read of in the daily papers, the time has not yet come when we must forget *l'homme est toujours homme*. Then (which never will be) will be time enough to criticise the services of the Church. At present let us realise that mock-modesty is not Purity, but rather her greatest enemy.—Your obedient servant,

London, Sept. 11. RECTOR.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—It is a matter of intense surprise to myself and other men, who have been in Turkey, India, China, &c., to find that any English ladies should be so far "left to themselves," as the Scotch say, as to imagine for a moment that they could retain their present position in society if the marriage tie were to be even loosened, let alone abolished. The Christian doctrine of one wife, "till death do them part," has done more to elevate humanity, and especially women, than all the other resources of civilisation, and it would be a very short time before all the sex would repent the change in sackcloth and ashes if ever it was made. Happily, this is more than improbable. Apart from any question of belief in Christianity, women of every class will find their best hopes of happiness, whether wedded or single, in the general acceptance by mankind of its pure and elevating doctrines, including that of marriage.—Yours, &c.,

London, Sept. 11. ARCHIBALD T. MILLER.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—I am an hotelkeeper. Newly married couples in all circumstances of life come to my hotel, and spend from two to six weeks there. It has often struck me that in the majority of cases, the wife sees too much of her husband, and they thus get tired of each other before their honeymoon is over. If the husband is sensible, he will let his wife have three or four hours every day to herself. Again, there are some men who, with very small incomes deny themselves and wives nothing during their three weeks' honeymoon, and, after it is over, find it hard to come back to the old life of poverty. This is a small matter, but helps in many cases to make marriage a failure.—Yours, &c., R. S. T.

London, Sept. 12.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—While agreeing with those who find fault with certain portions of the Marriage Service, yet I am of opinion that one reason why so many marriages prove failures is because so very little attention is paid, either before or after marriage, to the very plain instructions the Service contains.

I certainly do not agree with the view held by "Unappropriated Blessing," in to-day's issue, that the fault is all on the side of the men. If some of the girls would give a quarter of the time to the consideration of whom they should marry that they do to the choice of a new dress or bonnet, there would be far fewer marriages turn out to be the miserable failures that they now do. I have not read Mrs. Caird's article, but I venture to think that things are quite bad enough as they are now without introducing such a system. If any new laws are to be passed for the better regulation of married life, let them be for the limiting of the power and abolishing the evil influence of mothers-in-law, for this is the rock on which so many couples are shipwrecked, their lives blighted and their happiness blasted. When a fellow marries he does not expect that he has to keep the whole of his wife's relations, though he often finds out to his cost and sorrow that he has to do so to keep the peace and avoid frequent scenes. Another reason why marriages prove failures is because some women, as soon as they get married, become most abominably careless as to the way they dress and the slovenly manner in which they keep their homes, and they become cross and peevish and are continually "nagging," and in some cases become veritable shrews—a strange and sad contrast to the angelic beings they appeared to be before marriage.

On the other hand, if the husbands would show more consideration, and bear in mind that their wives have feelings, and that the lover-like attentions which were so acceptable before will be equally welcome now, they would find things go on much more smoothly than they do now, and they should never neglect their wives either at home or abroad.

It has been said that marriages are made in Heaven, but from the sad revelations made almost daily in our police and divorce courts, it is only reasonable to conclude that many of them are made somewhere else.

In conclusion, if people would only learn the important lesson to "bear and forbear," and that "a soft answer turneth away wrath," and that the best way to be happy is to try to make others around them happy, I am sure we should hear much less about marriages being failures.—I remain, Sir, yours truly,

A VICTIM TO A MOTHER-IN-LAW.

Retford, Sept. 11.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—In your issue of to-day I notice a letter from "Domesticated Lady Clerk," who explains that lady clerks are quite as suitable for a wife as a working man's daughter. I, however, beg to differ, as I am sure most of your correspondents will agree that if a girl gives up her whole time to business, she cannot in the long run make a good wife. The office is not the place for any one but men, and if a woman goes out of her own sphere, namely, "the home," she cannot expect but that, if she marries, her husband may some day be thrown out of employment by lady clerks.—Yours, &c., M. S. W.

Peckham, Sept. 13.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—I have not seen any communication on this subject from one of the artisan class, of whom the majority of married people are composed. They, of all people, form the class to whom the failure or success of marriage is of the utmost importance, as they depend more than any on home pleasures, on account of their restricted purses. How is married life to be made the happiest life to them? I can best answer the question by giving my own experience. I was married at twenty-four years of age, having courted for five years. I had only enough money to get married with, and earned at that time 30s a week. We furnished as we went along—that is, we bought for cash, and consequently purchased at the cheapest rate. We have been married five years, and have now two children. We have at no time been a penny in debt, thereby fulfilling the conditions of being rich, for we are told that "the rich man is he who is not in debt." Glorious independence is one cause of our married success. Another is that we have no individual secrets, but the chief cause is the fact that we love each other. It is simply disgusting to hear many of your correspondents lamenting the impossibility of being able to live on £200 a year. Life, whether married or single, must ever be a failure unless that miserable affectation of being better off than we really are is dropped. We, instead, live in honour and honesty in that state of life to which it has pleased God to call us.—Yours, &c.,

A TRULY HAPPY HUSBAND.

Peterborough, Sept. 12.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—The experience of your correspondent "Noch Einsam," of Weymouth, is not peculiar to men alone. How many girls, myself included, would give anything to know an honourable man of intelligence and refinement with whom cheerfully to share life's joys and sorrows, but are debarred from such happiness by circumstances and the miserable state of our modern conventional society! I and many of my girl friends are domesticated and certainly accomplished, but those of us who have neither father nor brother have little chance of meeting men in our own homes. Those we do meet in so-called good society as a rule we never think of twice, but if by chance we come across one who is congenial it is almost an impossibility to become better acquainted, hemmed in as we are by dread of "Mrs. Grundy," whose opinion as to the "correct thing" is so universally respected. I confess we are not all strong enough to stand against her dictum. So many seem to think a girl's care only for what a man possesses, and not for what he is in himself. This is a mistake—at least, as far as my limited experience goes. Many of us would gladly accept the love of a good man, even if his income were small, and would be proud to help him on in life. There is no doubt that, though some have made shipwreck of their happiness, marriage as God intended it cannot be a failure, but is the highest and best state for both man and woman. Apart from it, life must be, to say the least, incomplete. May I, too, ask if some plan cannot be devised by which a happier condition of affairs may be brought about?—Faithfully yours,

5, Camelford-street, Brighton, Sept. 12. G. A.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—When Millais' "Cherry Ripe" was published, some one telegraphed from Chester to the *Graphic*, "Is the mother of 'Cherry Ripe' a widow? Reply paid." In like manner, had I not been already bespoke, I should have been tempted to inquire more of Ellen Court, who gave so excellent an account of the elaborate training of German girls for the married state. The charms and graces of German home-life have impressed me very much when travelling there.

One of the most excellent things on the subject of marriage was said by the great wit and humourist of the House of Commons, the late Mr. Bernal Osborne. Speaking at his daughter's wedding, he said there were three great essentials for married life—common sense, good humour, and sufficient means. This is true. For lack of the first people contract foolish or immature unions, and fill their homes with misery in struggling to emulate acquaintances and neighbours who have larger incomes. As for good humour, it is "precious oil" to the domestic machinery. As regards "sufficient means," many people have happy homes with but a very modest income. In the case of others, if their incomes were increased 50 per cent., in a year or two they would have the same difficulty in making both ends meet.

I am surprised amongst your interesting correspondence that no one has brought out the fact that married men live the longest. This speaks volumes in itself.—Yours, &c., S. U. THOMPSON.

130-132, Bow-road, Sept. 12.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—I am a clerk and warehouseman, aged twenty-nine, and earning a salary of £1 10s per week. Like many others at my time of life, I am desirous of marrying, as the majority of right-thinking men are. I have seen and read a great deal about both marriage and celibacy, and I have arrived at the following conclusions: In the first place, every man who has to depend upon his own exertions for a living, and has no private means to fall back upon, runs a great risk by getting married in the present state of society. This is especially the case with the poorer class of commercial men and unskilled workmen. During the present glutted state of the labour market a man may seek for months before finding a berth. Then, again, the cost of house accommodation is out of all proportion to the earnings of many men. I do not think that a working man—mechanic or otherwise—should marry much before the age of thirty, unless he is possessed of a certain income and can afford to maintain a large family. Women, by entering the labour market as they are now doing, destroy to a great extent their own chance of matrimony, and lessen men's wages. These considerations deter many men from marrying.—Yours, &c.,

London, Sept. 12. WOULD-BE BENEDICT.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—I have a sort of hazy ideal of the husband I would choose. I imagine a grave, kind man, who is thoroughly good, and will help me to be so also, and who loves me dearly, and loves everything I do or say, who appreciates all my virtues, and views leniently all my shortcomings, who never does anything I do not wish him to, and who glories in my accomplishments, and, in fact, thinks me as nearly perfect as it is possible for a woman to become. Well that is my ideal. In all probability I shall fall in love with a man who is careless about religion, goes his own way in everything, has as decided opinions as myself, and quite opposite ones, who can see all my failings as distinctly as my virtues, and who will not mind telling me that I am far from a model. The question is, Will marriage be a failure for me under those circumstances? No, not at all, if there is true love between us. I would rather live any day with a Tartar that I loved than remain in single blessedness. I could introduce those disconsolate bachelors to many good, pretty, domesticated, and accomplished girls. All middle-class girls are domesticated nowadays because no one can rely upon servants. Lovers should never make idols of each other, it is wrong, and the consequences are sure to be disastrous, and husband and wife will "find each day they live" something to pity and perhaps forgive.—I am, dear Mr. Editor, yours truly,

London, Sept. 12. FRESH FROM SCHOOL.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—As an unmarried woman, I have been much amused at the effusion of "Noch Einsam." How much every one must sympathise with the "unwilling bachelors" who vainly search this world for the angel they will only find in the next. Possibly, if a little of the time they spend in this fruitless quest were given to improving their own characters and disposition, they might meet with a girl for whom they could feel "that sympathy of mind and purpose so necessary for a happy life together." While men are ever ready to search out the shortcomings of the weaker sex, they are conveniently silent as to their own faults. How often, after a few months of married life, may not the husband be seen in his old haunts, where he frequently passes as a single man and is voted a "jolly good fellow." Who would recognise the same man at his own fireside, where his patient little wife—or, rather, working housekeeper—plods on day after day without a single token of affection from her lord and master, which would cost him nothing, yet flood her path with sunshine? As a rule at marriage a wife gives up more than her husband. How many a girl leaves the ease and comfort of her father's house to go, as she thinks, hand in hand through life with him whom she has chosen to be her guide and protector, and finds when too late that the man to whom she has given her heart's truest affection is little else but a selfish autocrat? I grant that there are many frivolous, shallow girls who are unworthy of the love of a true man; but they are in the minority. There are many who through high spirits or thoughtlessness get the opprobrious epithet "fast" bestowed upon them; yet they make exemplary wives and mothers, and prove their hearts are sound and good in spite of the upturned eyes and uplifted hands of Mrs. Grundy.—Yours, &c., L. M.

Catford, Sept. 12.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—Many of your correspondents are simply beating the air in their efforts to proclaim aloud what all the world knows already, that to some peculiarly-constituted people not only marriage, but most sublunar things, are a failure. "Noch Einsam," however, seems fairly well to hit the right nail on the head, and if some benefit arises to him and his class this discussion will not have been altogether in vain. There are plenty of sterling, warm-hearted women still to be found who are capable of making loving wives, whilst there is also an equal number of splendid fellows, large-hearted and noble men, who are longing to meet with such helpmates. But alas! their lives run in separate grooves, and the unmarried man in search of a good wife has but little chance of finding out for himself what a woman really is. But others may know. Now it appears to me that we Benedicts, when happily married, and our wives, have exceptional facilities for gauging whether a girl is clear grit or only paltry Brummagem. Why, then, should not we place our experience at the disposal of the Noch Einsams? Let one of them put open his mind to some discreet and happily wedded couple, and see whether they are not more likely to introduce him to just the girl he is on the look out for than are any of his relations, who, almost to a certainty, have prejudices, and are more or less interested in finding their style of wife for him than the style he himself wants. There need be no publicity in the matter, and if the fair one does not suit, why then he need only murmur to himself still a little longer "Noch Einsam" and nobody need hear.—I am, Sir, &c.,

Notting-hill, Sept. 12. EHEMANN.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—Having celebrated my "China Wedding" day, and therefore twenty years of married life, I claim to be an authority on the subject "Is Marriage a Failure?" Before answering yes or no I must inquire what is the quality of the word "marriage." If, as I understand, it means the "union of two hearts" honestly joined together "for better, for worse," seeking not the life of separate self but of the twain-one, then most assuredly only one answer can be given to the question. No, it is never a failure. Trials there may be, tiffs there will be, disappointments are sure to be, but these are only the showers that make the summer of married life the more beautiful. Thousands of happy husbands and wives can testify that trials and disappointments go to bind true wedded hearts the closer, and sweeten love.

If, on the other hand, "marriage" is simply a man and woman being "knotted" together by law and not by love, by form and not by sympathy, well, then, in all such cases only one answer can be given—"Yes," marriage is a failure. How many of us can call to mind two individuals of opposite sexes, seeking opposite objects, having opposite tastes, with opposite sympathies, going through a ceremony at church or elsewhere, then calling themselves married, but really still two separate and opposite persons, even after the ceremony, as before it—this is not "marriage." Put water and oil into a bottle and well shake them up together and call it "a union" of fluids; but experience tells us what a "failure" such a union is.—Yours, &c.,

London, Sept. 12. E. W.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE DAILY TELEGRAPH."

Sir—I have just been reading a letter in Tuesday's paper on the subject "Is Marriage a Failure?" by an American gentleman, James Carnegie Stout. I should just like to write a few words in reply to him. Firstly, How does he know but that the friend who married for love and had to work hard may not be quite as happy (perhaps more so) than the friend who, too lazy to work, married for money? He is an American, and does not feel, with our noble Englishmen, that "Love makes labour sweet." I write feelingly. I am a portionless girl, a gentlewoman by birth, considered handsome and good-tempered. Must I be doomed to singleblessedness because I have no "siller"? Our Bible tells us a "A virtuous woman is a crown to her husband." Not a rich woman. As your American correspondent has taken up the cause of the rich girls, I hope some good Englishmen will write a word in our favour.—Yours faithfully, A WIDOW'S CHILD.

Ventnor, Sept. 11.

Mrs. E. Lynn Linton contributes an interesting article to the current number of "The Universal Review" on "The Vexed Question." She begins with the proposition that "the rudiments of orderly society lie in the voluntary restrictions of marriage as against promiscuity, just as the rudiments of political organisation lie in the voluntary submission of a tribe to one chief as against individual independence. . . . The vital thing is that a man and woman marry with the consent and knowledge of their society, and that the children born of this authorised union belong emphatically to that society." Contrasting the two principles on which modern marriages are founded and on which they differ—individual desire and social well-being—she observes that the French adhere to the latter while we have held to the former until of late, "when the tables have been turned with a vengeance, and we have exaggerated our neighbours' principle out of all likeness to itself. Our splendid boys and girls, true children of love as they often are, have caught the beauty of the mother and inherited the manly independence and self-sufficing resoluteness of the father. But they have to turn out betimes from home to make their own bread, which is sometimes bitter, sometimes scanty, and not unfrequently poisonous. On the other hand the French family remains *à l'abri*, undiminished in its generally scanty numbers, and unagonised by all the fears and accidents which beset the disintegration of an English household." As part of this question the writer discusses with much ingenuity the various kinds of marriage bargains, from that in which the men take all and return nothing, to that in which they return the gratitude of care and companionship and some sort of fidelity for the gift of love. "Disraeli's marriage was a case in point: so is another where the discrepancy in age and original condition is even greater than with his, and where the happiness resulting to the woman by the man's honourable fulfilment of his share of the bargain, is as patent as in the Beaconsfield household. Surely these two marriages have justified themselves by the honourable fidelity to the agreement which each of the men maintained, and by the corresponding happiness of the woman who risked so much and yet did not lose by the venture." Honest divorce, it is contended, is a better state of things than judicial separation. "Without wishing to make divorce too easy, it does seem as if it should be given when for any cause the marriage is a distinct and insupportable failure, and the well-being of the children is at stake. Naturally the crux of the whole question is in the children. As we began with them so must we end. Marriage would be no more binding than any other voluntarily undertaken partnership were it not for these helpless members of the community, whose future good ought to be sacred to that community—these unrepresented citizens, whom their parents have in present pawn, but for whom they are answerable to the State, though the State takes very little active interest in them, believing that in the main parental instinct and affection know best. The integrity, the sanctity, of the family lies at the root of all stable and well-conditioned society; and, frankly, the individual happiness of this husband or that wife ill mated does not count a hair's breadth in comparison with the stability of society and the good of the family." In conclusion, the writer says: "Almost all great men have owed much to the mother, many also to the father. If we were to come to such a state of things as some anticipate complacently, if the State were to be father and mother to the children, and the ties of family were to be dissolved like jelly in water, then would marriage cease to be an institution in any sense of the term, and we should go back to practical promiscuity. Why not? The pleasure of the individual would then be the one sole good, and morality would not suffer, because, the family having ceased to exist, there would be no need of restrictions. With the father rubbed off the slate of home, 'lawfully begotten' would have no meaning, and the descendants of Messalina would be safer than their ancestress in those famous Pincian gardens where her sins received their punishment. It would be a different state of things altogether, and as entirely different as if we were to become in our own persons 'anthropophagi and men whose heads do grow beneath their shoulders.' No, we must not look for such a radical change as this. We must content ourselves with smaller and more tentative measures, legislation of the bit by bit kind, compromises granting here and holding there, which are more often our illogical and conservative way of doing things than wholesale changes. Perhaps, some day, those who do not want to marry their deceased wife's sister will grant permission to those who do; those who are happy in their own marriage, and with whom death would be eternal widowhood, will have legislative compassion on those who are unhappy and with whom death would be a blessed release. Perhaps society will recognise that our intricate and acute civilisation has somewhat modified the original idea, and added to the archaic meaning of marriage, and that certain social crimes, like drunkenness and inveterate gambling, are as destructive to the essential conditions as the one fault of infidelity. 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SALES BY AUCTION.

MESSRS. DEBENHAM, TEWSON, FARMER, and BRIDGEWATER will SELL, on the PREMISES, on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, Sept. 25 and 26, at twelve each day, the FURNITURE, comprising bedsteads, prime bedding, mahogany wardrobes, and the contents of 11 bed chambers, drawing room suites and chairs, ... Catalogues on the premises, and of the Auctioneers, 80, Cheapside, London, E.C.

MESSRS. DEBENHAM, TEWSON, FARMER, and BRIDGEWATER ... on the PREMISES, on FRIDAY, Sept. 28, at twelve ...

MESSRS. DEBENHAM, TEWSON, FARMER, and BRIDGEWATER ...

MESSRS. FAREBROTHER, ELLIS, CLARK, and CO. will offer for SALE by AUCTION, at the MART, Tokenhouse-yard, E.C., on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 26, 1888, at two, the above valuable and speculative FREEHOLD, with possession. Particulars of Messrs. Sewell and Edwards, Solicitors, ... at the Mart; and of Messrs. Farebrother, Ellis, Clark, and Co., 29, Fleet-street, Temple Bar, and 18, Old Broad-street, E.C.

MESSRS. FAREBROTHER, ELLIS, CLARK, and CO. will offer for SALE by AUCTION, at the MART, City, E.C., on WEDNESDAY, Oct. 10, 1888, at two, the above valuable GROUND RENTS. Particulars of Edward Philip Roberts, Esq., Solicitor, 2, South-square, Gray's Inn; at the Auction Mart; and of Messrs. Farebrother, Ellis, Clark, and Co., 29, Fleet-street, Temple Bar, and 18, Old Broad-street, London, E.C.

MESSRS. FAREBROTHER, ELLIS, CLARK, and CO. will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, on WEDNESDAY, Oct. 10, at two, the above LEASEHOLD, with possession. ... Farebrother, Ellis, Clark, and Co., Fleet-street, and 18, Old Broad-street, E.C.

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Result of Thursday's Sale.

MESSRS. C. C. and T. MOORE respectfully inform the public that the following PROPERTIES were SOLD at the MART:—Shares in East London Cemetery Company, Glens Sulphur Company, Leicestershire Colliery Company, Atlantic Storage Company, and Glasgow Alum Company.
Leaseholds.—Albert-street, Shadwell.
Copyholds.—5 and 6, Manor-court, Ratcliff.
Leaseholds.—56, 61, and 62, Bromhead-road, Mile-end.
Freehold.—25, Ellesmere-road, Old Ford.

Spitalfields.—Desirable Freehold Estate.

MESSRS. C. C. and T. MOORE will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, on THURSDAY, Sept. 27, at one for two, the seven-roomed HOUSE, with good shop and cellarage, No. 65, Brick-lane, let at £75, and a DWELLING HOUSE, No. 16, Princes-street, abutting on above let at £35. Solicitors, Messrs. Futvoye, Field, and Baker, 23, John-street, Bedford-row, W.C.

Re Mr. David Hatt, deceased.—Westerham.—Corner Plot of Freehold Building Land.

MESSRS. C. C. and T. MOORE will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, on THURSDAY, Sept. 27, the well-situated corner plot of FREEHOLD LAND, having a frontage of 50ft. to Hermon-hill, and a return frontage of 112ft. to Brivansroad, adapted for immediate development.—Solicitors, Messrs. Snow, Snow, and Fox, 22, College-hill, E.C.

Romford-road.—Well-built Freehold Residences, for occupation, near Forest-gate Station.

MESSRS. C. C. and T. MOORE will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, on THURSDAY, Sept. 27, in two lots, two FREEHOLD nine-roomed RESIDENCES, with long gardens, 9 and 11, Sprowston-road, Romford-road, Forest-gate. Possession on completion.—Solicitor, John Ashbridge, Esq., 156, Whitechapel-road, E.

Leyton.—Three Freehold Dwelling Houses.

MESSRS. C. C. and T. MOORE will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, on THURSDAY, Sept. 27, at two o'clock, three eight-roomed DWELLING HOUSES, 1, 2, and 3, Rosebank-cottages, Lindley-road, Leyton. Let at £18 6s. per annum each.—Solicitor, G. H. Steinberg, Esq., 38, Broad-street, Cheapside, E.C.

Catford, East Dulwich, and Fulham.—Freehold and Leasehold Estates.

MESSRS. C. C. and T. MOORE will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, on THURSDAY, Sept. 27, at two o'clock, five eight-roomed HOUSES, 1 to 5, Gresham-villas, Bradgate-road, near Catford Bridge Station; let at £111 10s.; term 97 years, ground rent £5 each. Seven eight-roomed Houses, 42 to 54, Bodwell-road, Crystal Palace-road, East Dulwich; let at £196 ... term 70 years, ground rent £4 10s. each. And two Freehold seven-roomed Houses, 27 and 29, Barnmore-road, Fulham; let at £33.—Solicitors, Messrs. G. W. Naunton and Son, 75, Cheapside, E.C.

Homerton and West-green.—Three Leasehold Houses.

MESSRS. C. C. and T. MOORE will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, on THURSDAY, Sept. 27, at two o'clock, the seven-roomed HOUSE, with garden and forecourt, 66, Sydney-road, near Homerton Station, let at £31 4s., term 83 years, ground rent £5 10s.; and two seven-roomed Houses, 3 and 5, Langham-road (close to West-green Station), let at £28 each, term 83 years, ground rent £5 10s. each.—Solicitors, Messrs. G. W. Naunton and Son, as above.

Plaistow and West Ham.—Leasehold Estate.

MESSRS. C. C. and T. MOORE will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, on THURSDAY, Sept. 27, at two o'clock, seven HOUSES, 38 to 50, Suffolk-road, Grange-road, Plaistow, let at £91; and 15 Houses (one a corner shop), 40 to 68, Whitwell-road, producing £300 per annum, term 90 years, ground rent £3 each; and a seven-roomed House, 5, Park-grove, Portway, West Ham, let at £18 4s., term 80 years, ground rent £4.—Solicitors, as above.

Hackney.—Desirable Leasehold Residence, near two railway stations.

MESSRS. C. C. and T. MOORE will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, on THURSDAY, Sept. 27, ...

Retailers' Trade Sale of Wines and Spirits, on Thursday, Sept. 20.

MESSRS. W. and T. RESTELL, Sworn Brokers, of 20, Mark-lane, E.C., will SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, chiefly without reserve, at the LONDON COMMERCIAL SALE ROOMS, Mincing-lane, on THURSDAY, Sept. 20, at one o'clock punctually, the following important parcels of WINES and SPIRITS, viz.: In bond, 51 pipes, 61 hhds., and 12 qr. casks of port, including several parcels of useful wine, consigned to the Auctioneers for sale; also shipments of Cockburn's, Martinez, Smith Woodhouse, Fonseca, &c.; fifty butts sherry, a special consignment to the selling brokers from Jerez, and comprising a careful selection of vintage wines; five butts, 18 hhds., 86 qr. casks, and 25 octaves of sherry, shipped by F. W. Cosens and others; also the brands of Vardosa and Lopez Villagas; 47 pipes, 10 hhds., and 10 qr. casks of Spanish red, both the shilling and half-crown duty; 190 hhds. of red wine from Messina; 45 hhds. and qr. casks of pale brandy; Pinnat's 1877, Otard's 1878, Hennessy's 1877, Vine Growers' 1878, Barnard Saulnier's 1875, 1878, &c.; 20 hhds. Scotch and Irish whisky, and sundry lots of champagne, Australian wine, &c., duty paid; 300 dozens port, Morgan Bros., 1878 and 1881, also Cockburn's and Sandeman's; 52 dozens sherry, shipped by Cosens; 111 dozens champagne, of Louis Roederer's, Beauchamp's, and De Chatillon and Co.; 127 dozens claret, 31 dozens Scotch whisky, Glendale, &c.; also 10 casks and 15 dozens of cherry brandy and other cordials.—Catalogues and further particulars may be obtained of the Auctioneers and Wine and Spirit Valuers, 20, Mark-lane, E.C.

Tuesday Next.—By order of the Executors of the late Miss Gaynor Owen, deceased.—Shepherd's-bush (within 30 yards of Shepherd's-bush-green, five minutes from Uxbridge-road Station, one minute from 'bus and tram routes).—Long Leasehold Residence, for investment or occupation.

MR. J. C. PLATT will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, Tokenhouse-yard (near the Bank of England), on TUESDAY, Sept. 18, at one o'clock, the exceedingly well-positioned family RESIDENCE, being No. 3, Rockley-road, Shepherd's-bush-green, containing eight rooms, bath room, kitchen, and well-arranged domestic offices. Good garden in rear. Rental value £48 per annum. Lease 75 years unexpired. Ground rent £5 per annum.—May be viewed at any time. Particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained of A. G. Whatton, Esq., Solicitor, 2, Raymond-buildings, Gray's Inn, W.C., and of the Auctioneer, 197 and 198, King-street, Hammersmith, W.

Tuesday Next.—By order of the Trustees of the late Frederick Charles Hengler, Esq., Deceased.

MR. J. C. PLATT is favoured with instructions to SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, Tokenhouse-yard, near the Bank of England, on TUESDAY, Sept. 18, 1888, at one o'clock, the detached FREEHOLD RESIDENCE known as Cambridge House, 27, Fitzjohn's-avenue, Hampstead. The house contains eight bed and dressing rooms, two bath rooms and lavatories, four noble reception rooms and entrance hall, well-appointed domestic offices, large garden, electric bells, speaking tubes, and gas laid on all over house. This house is extremely well and substantially built, and is replete with every modern improvement. Was occupied by the late Mr. Hengler. Rental value £250 per annum. Will be sold with possession.—Further and detailed particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained of Messrs. Lynch and Tooley, Solicitors, 25, Lord-street, Liverpool; at the Mart; and of the Auctioneer, 197 and 198, King-street, Hammersmith, W.

Thursday Next.—A large quantity of well-manufactured Furniture and Effects, comprising brass and iron bedsteads, bedding, bedroom suites, very fine oil paintings and watercolour drawings, Crown Derby dessert service, splendid dinner service, cottage pianoforte in rosewood case by Manners, and excellent effects.

MR. J. C. PLATT will remove and SELL by AUCTION, at his MART, 198, King-street, Hammersmith, on THURSDAY, Sept. 20, 1888, at two o'clock precisely, the above EFFECTS.—On view day prior. Catalogues at the Mart, and at the Auction, Land, and Estate Offices, 198 and 197, King-street, Hammersmith.

By order of the Executors of the late Miss Gaynor Owen, deceased.—Genuine Household Furniture, oil paintings, plated goods, china, glass, and effects.

MR. J. C. PLATT will SELL by AUCTION, on the PREMISES, 3, Rockley-road, Shepherd's-bush-green, on FRIDAY, Sept. 28, the whole of the FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising brass and iron French and Arabian bedsteads ...

West Cowes, Isle of Wight.—West-hill House Estate.—Valuable Freehold Building Plots, including several shop plots fronting Newport-road, Beckford-road, and Gordon-road, close to the harbour and sea, and within a few minutes' walk of the railway station. Tithe, land-tax, and conveyance free (stamps excepted). Excellent roads, kerbed footpaths, and main drainage.

MR. CHARLES BELTON begs to announce that, at the Sale by Auction held at the Fountain Hotel, West Cowes, on Friday Evening, Sept. 7, the whole of the LOTS offered, including the mansion and grounds, were SOLD, with the exception of the following plots, viz.: Lots 43, 44, 45, 46, 52, 53, 54, 60, and 61, fronting Newport-road, and Lots 118, 119, 120, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, and 128, fronting Beckford-road, which may now be dealt for by private treaty, on application to the Auctioneer, at the Offices, 33, Norfolk-street, Strand, London, W.C.

Fulham.—Valuable Freehold Building Plots, including several shop plots fronting and adjoining the main roads. Excellent roads, kerbed footpaths, and main drainage. Tithe, land-tax, and conveyance free (stamps excepted). Payment by instalments if desired.—To be Sold by Auction, by

MR. CHARLES BELTON, at the WINDSOR CASTLE HOTEL, King-street, Hammersmith, on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 19, 1888, at six for seven o'clock in the evening, viz.:

LILLIE-ROAD ESTATE.—Several Freehold Plots, fronting Lillie-road, Musard-road, and Humbolt-road (close to the Halfway House Tavern).

HURLINGHAM ESTATE.—Seven valuable Shop Plots, fronting King's-road, and nearly opposite Parson's-green.

Plans and particulars may be had at the place of sale; and of the Auctioneer, 33, Norfolk-street, Strand, London, W.C.

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MR. CHARLES BELTON, at the VICTORIA TAVERN (late Alec Keene's), corner of Edgware-road and Willesden-lane, on THURSDAY, Sept. 20, 1888, at six for seven o'clock in the evening, as follows:

KILBURN HOUSE ESTATE.—Several Plots, fronting and adjoining Willesden-lane, Priory Park-road, Glengall-road, and Tennyson-road, &c.

OAKLANDS HALL ESTATE.—Several Plots, fronting Kingsgate-road, Cotleigh-road, and Hemstal-road.

WILLESDEN-GREEN ESTATE.—A capital Public House Plot, fronting Willesden-lane.

CHURCH-END ESTATES.—Two Plots for Private Houses, fronting Beaconsfield-road, and three plots for private houses, fronting Cobbold-road, Willesden-lane.

LOWER PLACE ESTATE.—Three Shop Plots and a Public House Plot, fronting Acton-lane, and six plots for private houses, fronting Disraeli-road and Stonebridge-road.

CRICKET FIELD ESTATE.—A Public House Plot and five Shop Plots, fronting Talbot-road.

STONEBRIDGE PARK ESTATE.—Two Plots, fronting Harrow-road, and one Plot, fronting Shrewsbury-road.

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Tottenham, Bruce-grove Estate and Page-green Estate.—Freehold Building Plots, fronting the main road, &c., close to Bruce-grove and Seven Sisters railway stations. The tramway passes both estates. Tithe, land-tax, and conveyance free (stamps excepted). Payment by instalments if desired.—To be Sold by Auction, by

MR. CHARLES BELTON, at the SHIP INN, High-road, Tottenham, on TUESDAY, Sept. 25, 1888, at six for seven o'clock in the evening.—Plans and particulars may be had at the place of sale, and of the Auctioneer, 33, Norfolk-street, Strand, London, W.C.

Gordon House Estate, Isleworth.—24 capital Freehold Building Plots, including 10 shop plots fronting the Richmond-road, within a few minutes' walk of St. Margaret's Railway Station, and admirably adapted for the erection of moderate-sized villa property, with ample space for good gardens. Tithe, land-tax, and conveyance free (stamps excepted). Payment by instalments if desired. These are the only plots now unsold on this eligible estate.—To be Sold by Auction by

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Jewellers, Watch and Clock Makers, Opticians, Dealers, Shopfitters and others.—In Bankruptcy.—By order of the Official Receiver.—Estate of F. Bailey, Wood-green, N.

IZARD, DAWE, and IZARD will SELL by AUCTION, at 4, MARKET-TERRACE, Wood-green, N., on TUESDAY NEXT, Sept. 18, at one, the STOCK-IN-TRADE of a JEWELLER, Watch and Clock Maker, a large variety of jeweller's sundries.—Auction Offices, 147, Cannon-street, E.C.

Grocers, Tradesmen, Gilbey's Agents, Shopfitters, Furniture Buyers, and others.—By order of the Proprietor.—Absolute Sale, owing to expiration of lease.—212, Caledonian-road, N.

IZARD, DAWE, and IZARD will SELL by AUCTION, on the PREMISES, as above, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, Sept. 19 inst., at twelve o'clock precisely, the stock in trade of GROCERIES, teas, Gilbey's wines and spirits, bottled beers, and general goods of the usual description, the well-made trade fixtures and utensils by Gilbert; also the superior household furniture.—Auction Offices, 147, Cannon-street, E.C.

Grocers, Tea-dealers, Italian Warehousemen, Shopfitters, Furniture Buyers, and others.—By order of the Proprietor.—Absolute Sale, owing to expiration of lease.—No. 5, Bank-buildings, High-street, Wandsworth.

IZARD, DAWE, and IZARD will SELL by AUCTION, on the PREMISES, as above, on TUESDAY, Sept. 25 inst., at twelve, stock of GROCERIES, 700lb. teas, Italian and general goods, well-made mahogany trade fixtures and utensils, superior household furniture, pianoforte by Metzler, and other effects.—Auction Offices, 147, Cannon-street, E.C.

Coach Builders, Saddlers, Saddlers' Ironmongers, Gentlemen, Dealers, and others.—Important sale of well-made Stock, comprising 200 sets of harness, single, double, tandem, and four-horse, 75 riding saddles, whips, horse clothing, leather, saddler's furniture, stock of carriages, dogcarts.—Lease expiring.—By order of the Proprietor.

IZARD, DAWE, and IZARD will SELL by AUCTION, upon the PREMISES, 141, Long-acre, W.C., 6, Upper St. Martin's-lane, and 16, Little St. Andrew's-street, by order of Proprietor, Mr. Flegg, on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, Sept. 26 and 27 inst., at twelve precisely, the whole of the first-class genuine MANUFACTURER'S STOCK, together with fixtures, fittings, and effects.—View day prior. Catalogues on the premises, and of the Auctioneers, 147, Cannon-street, E.C.

Carriage Builders, Saddlers, and others.—Valuable beneficial Leases, with possession of Premises 141, Long-acre, and 6, Upper St. Martin's-lane, specially adapted and situate for these important trades.

IZARD, DAWE, and IZARD will SELL by AUCTION, upon the PREMISES, on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 26, at two o'clock, the above valuable LEASES, together with possession, in separate lots.—Particulars and conditions, with cards to view, at the Auctioneers' Offices, 147, Cannon-street, E.C.

Machinery Buyers, Engineers, Timber and Firewood Dealers, Builders, and others.—By order of the Proprietors.—Deptford Creek.

IZARD, DAWE, and IZARD will SELL by AUCTION, at the KENT WHARF, Copperas-lane, Deptford Creek, S.E., on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 26, 1888, at twelve o'clock precisely, pair of 6ft. EDGE RUNNERS, with bevel wheels, driving gear, and bed complete, large iron crushing-mill tanks, ladders, weighing machines and weights, navvy barrows, several driving pulleys and riggers, plummer blocks, driving bands, grindstones, large quantity of useful timber, deals, battens, fencing planks, stacks of firewood, and other effects.—Catalogues at the Wharf, and of the Auctioneers, 147, Cannon-street, E.C.

Ladies' Silk, Satin, and Cloth Dresses and Costumes, sealskin and velvet jackets, gentlemen's attire, officers' uniforms, black and coloured silks and satins, cloth, guns, and miscellanies, part being consigned by private owners, for sale without reserve.—Three days' Sale by

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A VERY handsome and grand-made COB, standing 14.2, warranted quiet to ride and a good huntress, and sound, trial and veterinary surgeon's examination allowed, price 30 guineas; also a handsome black Gelding, 15.3, warranted quiet to ride and drive in any harness, five years old and a good mover, has been working in a Victoria, price 40 guineas, trial and V. S. exam. allowed.—Apply to Mr. Hunterstone, Forty-hill, Enfield.

THE POINTS of a HORSE. An Illustrated Diagram showing 45 points of a horse, also how to detect splint, spavin, curb, ringbone, sidebone, &c. Farmers' Gazette says: "It is instructive and well worth the money." Send 1s. 6d., postal order, to D. T., The Vet., Moor Stables, Armley, Leeds.

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